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# HAIG HOLDS OWN AS ENEMY HORDES ARE DRIVEN ON

## SANTA ANA FAILING TO GO OVER TOP

### CITIZENS URGED TO PURCHASE NEW BOND

Chairman of State Central  
Committee Censures  
Chairman Bisby  
**SAYS SANTA ANA HAS  
NOT DONE ITS PART**  
Bisby Calls Upon Every Resi-  
dent to "Come Forward"  
and Take Up Loan

Santa Ana is still in the slacker class—a slacker to the extent of \$100,000. The condition is causing County Chairman Bisby and City Chairman Zerman some worry, for of all the cities in the county that should have jumped over the top quickly, Santa Ana should have been the one.

"What are the people of Santa Ana thinking about?" asked Bisby this morning. "That is a question that has presented itself to me, from time to time during the last week or ten days. 'Santa Ana is not doing her bit.'"

"Communities all over the county subscribed their quota in one week. The second week of the campaign is now on for Santa Ana, and the quota is not reached yet."

**Have You Bought?**

"This city is not a pro-German community; this community is undoubtedly loyal to the United States government; why, then, does it not express its loyalty in dollars and cents? Does each and every man or woman who should subscribe to the Liberty Loan Bond have to be called upon and pleaded with to do his or her duty? Is there no sense of pride in going to the bank and doing that which is your just and right duty? Are you so bound up with your own particular personal interests that you are not big enough and broad enough to see the needs of your government, when the boys from America are going through hell's fire on the front?"

"If a German Zeppelin should fly over Santa Ana, and drop a bomb in the center of the street of town, no one would have to tell a lot of you to run to cover, because a lot of you ran to cover when the Liberty Loan drive was put on. Hundreds of you were not at home, and have not as yet made your subscription to the loan. Hundreds of you ran to cover by taking out a bond for less money than you can afford to loan to your government."

**Do It Today**

"If some man should go out into the center of Fourth street, Santa Ana, and pull down the American flag, and trample it under-foot, some slacker who has never subscribed a dollar to the Liberty Loan, who is amply able to, and some who subscribed a small amount when they could have subscribed more, would be the first to defend his flag. Does it take something like that to get you to do the proper thing? Go to your bank and buy your bond; do your own work, don't leave it for someone else to do. Do it today."

**State Disappointed**

Mr. Bisby is in receipt of the following letter from H. S. McKee, chairman of the State Central Liberty Loan Committee:

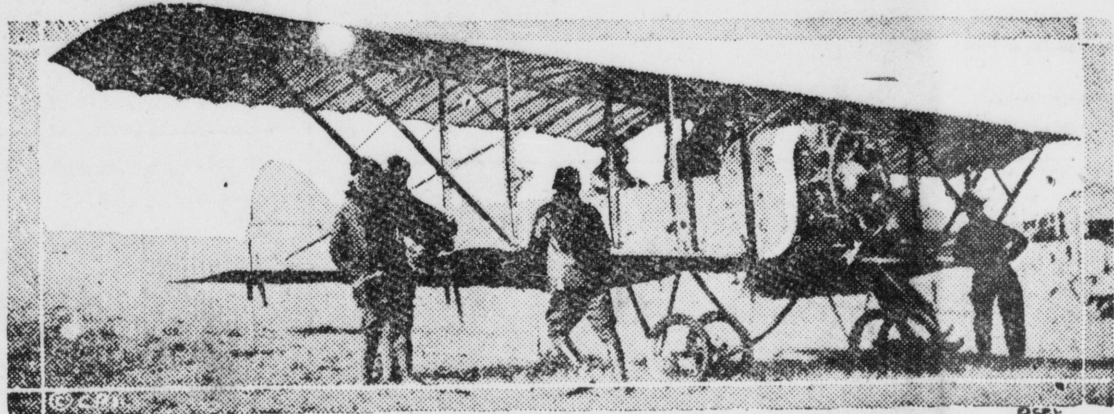
"Dear Mr. Bisby:

"We are a little disappointed and our situation somewhat handicapped in the fact that we are not receiving more prompt reports from the banks in Orange county. I mean the official reports to the Federal Reserve Bank, of which we receive carbon copies. It leaves us the situation there, and we about the very much appreciate your doing anything you can to bring this matter as closely as possible up to date in every bank."

"There is another very serious matter that I think ought to be called to your attention, so you can in turn impress it forcibly upon everyone in your territory, and that is the disposition among a great many people to consider that their duty to the country has been fully performed when any locality has subscribed for its quota of the Third Liberty Loan. Our views about this is that if nothing

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THIS plane, bearing the circle and star, the insignia of the American airplane, is the first one used by the American forces in France. The photograph was taken on an aviation field "somewhere in France," and the men in the picture are members of the American aviation section. Help send more such planes over to blind the Boches. Buy Liberty Bonds! On to Berlin!



## WORLD'S MOST SPECTACULAR BATTLE

### CHANGE IN WEST DUE, FOLLOWING FRENCH ARRIVAL OFFICIALS AVER

Washington Jubilant Over Re-  
serve Arrivals; Ameri-  
cans Needed at Once

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Military men here today looked for important developments following arrival of French reinforcements on the Flanders battle field. That it might be the forerunner of a vast strengthening of the British, as mentioned by Haig several days ago was the thought here.

Army men recalled that Haig then said the French were coming up "rapidly and in great force" to aid the hard pressed Britishers.

It is assumed here that Foch is playing a game that will not permit the situation to get out of hand.

**"Unpleasant" Stage**

The Flanders battle is admittedly in an unpleasant stage for the British, but army men thus far are thoroughly confident that the German will not achieve his object of breaking the British army or of ploughing through to the channel ports.

The bloody fighting for Meteren and Wytschaete, the British retirement near Ypres and the German claims of capture of Poelcapelle and Langemarck all formed a situation which may compel further retirement. The German apparently wishes to reach Cassel and his strokes have aided him materially.

However, the arrival of the French may cheat him of the strategic advantage thus far gained, and it is deemed quite likely the next few days will see the tide turning against him. The battle situation daily hammers home the need for more American troops on the battle line. Secretary Baker has given President Wilson a comprehensive view of the man power problem and every effort is now turned to making existing tonnage available for troop transport and turning out new tonnage.

### AUSTRIAN TROOPS OF UKRAINE REFUSE SER- VICE AT WEST FRONT

Additional Information Shows  
Hun Attempt to "Ger-  
manize" Ukraine

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Austrian troops in the Ukraine have refused to serve on the west front, or even in Italy, according to rumors reaching the state department today. In addition to these rumors, authentic information showed the Teutons are trying to vert the Ukraine into a Gey man-Austrian colony.

### AUTHORITIES PROBING BURNING OF BARRACKS

NEW YORK, April 18.—Army officials are today investigating the origin of a fire that destroyed a large barracks building on Governor's Island last night. Three thousand soldiers were unable to extinguish the fire, which did \$10,000 damage. A call for aid was sent to the New York fire department. The firing of a cannon alarm which was heard throughout the lower section of the city created considerable excitement.

### Graphic Descript- ion of Battle in Progress in West

Fight Now Being Waged Ad-  
mittedly Most Terrible of  
Entire Conflict

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES  
NEAR BAILLEUL, April 17.  
(Night).—The fight now progress-  
ing is the most spectacular of the war.

From a hill top near Bailleul it can be observed in pantomime as though from a balcony seat. Miles upon miles, from around the Passchendaele salient—from which the British were voluntarily withdrawn—to far southwestward of Bailleul is visible to the naked eye. With field glasses, infantry can be plainly seen on the move.

The battle of Cambrai, Verdun and Messines were all in a hill country affording the scantiest glimpses. But from elevations around Bailleul, the war's most dramatic panorama stretches out with scarcely a tree clump obscuring the view.

**Men Are Visible**

Across fertile miles of farms, men are visible going into action. Shells burst in pasture lands. Abandoned cows cease grazing and stare in mild astonishment at the strange eruptions. The sky is filled with black and white cloud puffs and with low flying airplanes in contact with infantry dropping signal rockets to point out targets to the artillery.

The rattle of machine guns and the bass thunder of heavy artillery commingled with the ear-splitting volleying bangs of guns is a worthy orchestra to the greatest drama of all time. Flashes from guns and howitzers cleverly concealed, or frankly out in the open, leaped dazingly, sometimes startlingly near—while the horizon flickers like thousands of pocket mirrors flashing in the sunlight.

**See Houses Burn**

In the foreground, a German shell crumps fairly into a farm house. The former occupants probably are tramping along the roads, regretting they ever left home. The house gives off a white smoke for a few minutes, then a bug of flames mounts toward the sky.

Gas shells flop into idyllic fields in full cultivation. Strangling vapors are trailing heavily across the sprouting crops. An apparently fearless crow is due for the surprise of his life. The whole business looks unreal from this hill top. It gives the impression of a monster open air spectacle in commemoration of an important centennial. This is enhanced when I see a gunner duck from a blazing battery, bucket in hand, and chase an ownerless red cow—foraging for the supper milk, like an awkward stage hand engaged in some ridiculous thing in the midst of an Irvinesque tragedy.

All the while you are standing in front of a tiny, whitewashed and thatched fence feeling alone in a world where everywhere are soldiers, death and war.

**Hats to Leave Homes**

You turn to go and halt—startled. Peering through a little square-paned window you see, outlined against the darkened interior, the white face of an aged woman. Behind her face is that of a bent old man, staring fixedly toward the plains. They have lived in that cottage too long to leave it.

A little way down the slope a German shell burst above a similar cottage. Bits of red tiled roof fly in every direction. Now the enemy's artillery is registering on the hill.

A tabby cat, licking a discarded "bully beef" can, scampers off through a hole in a hedge. Even he is deserting the old place. But inside the cottage the old man lays his hand on the woman's shoulder. Together they watch the fields below.

You move away, but something makes you walk on tip toe. For these folks and those they symbolize, the end of the world seems to have come.

### FLOUR PRICES DUE FOR A BIG DROP, PREDIC- TION OF BOARD

Government Supervision of  
Mills Will Cut Down  
"Excess Profits"

WASHINGTON, April 18.—While flour mills and middlemen have made millions in swollen profits since the war opened, government supervision is gradually getting the upper hand and prices are on the down grade, the federal trade commission said in a special report to President Wilson today.

Government price fixing together with food administration regulation over millers and distributors will result this year in flour being "several dollars a barrel" lower to the consumer than last, it was reported.

**Increased Profits**

At the same time, the commission charged net profits of millers increased from 11 cents per barrel for the 1912-13 crop to 52 cents a barrel for the 1916-17 crop. Gross profits of car lot distribution jumped from 22 cents a barrel in 1914 to 55 cents in 1917, and of small lot jobbers from 52 cents in 1915 to 86 cents in 1917.

Millers operating profits per barrel increased 175 per cent in 1916-17 over the preceding year, and profit on investment 100 per cent.

The commission criticized the food administration's regulations limiting millers to fixed profits over the cost. This method, it was held, fails to furnish a stimulus to efficiency in production and offers encouragement to cost padding.

It was also suggested that maximum flour prices be fixed.

W. S. S.

### VISCOUNT MILNER IS APPOINTED BRITON WAR SECRETARY

Official Announcement Cites  
Changes Among Britain's  
"Higher Ups"

LONDON, April 18.—The appointment of Lord Derby as minister extraordinary to France, succeeding Lord Bertie; of Viscount Milner as secretary of state for war, succeeding Lord Derby, and of Austin Chamberlain, son of the late Joseph Chamberlain, as a member of the war cabinet, were officially announced today.

The appointment of Lord Milner as British secretary of state for war means that the British war office is now in the hands of an efficient expert.

Lord Milner has a great reputation in England as a man of action who is ruthless in overcoming all obstacles to success. He was the late Cecil Rhodes' right hand man in building up the British empire in South Africa, and he made his first reputation among the Boers as a man of quick decisions and untiring perseverance.

If Lord Milner lives up to his previous reputation he will cut all red tape in the British war office. Lord Milner was educated in Germany and knows the working of German minds by instinct.

### RAILROADS OF WEST WILL BE HARD HIT BY M'ADOO ORDER

Many 'Coast to Coast' Trains  
Will Be Eliminated  
From Schedules

### SOUTHERN ROADS TO BE LEAST AFFECTED

Most Overland Trains Will Be  
Converted Into "Locals,"  
Order Says

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Director General McAdoo is about to clip 1,000,000 miles a month from the total mileage traveled by passenger trains west of the Mississippi river.

Details of the remodeled train schedules are practically complete and an official announcement of the change is expected within ten days, it was learned at the offices of the railroad administration here today.

The revolutionary change, besides releasing scores of locomotives for hauling war necessities is directly in line with McAdoo's policy of economy in operation of the national railways. It will place passenger service on a strictly war basis. One train practically will be doing the work of two, it was said.

**Speed Is Needed**

Constant calls for speed in handling materials needed in the prosecution of the war has forced the transportation of passengers to be given secondary consideration. Recent elimination of "superfluous trains" east of the Mississippi river has provided a basis for the rearrangement of train schedules in other sections. The plan which will be announced shortly is expected to affect the entire West.

Although the cut in service promises to be most drastic since the government took charge of the rail lines, officials stated the re-scheduling has been worked out purely on an efficiency basis. They asserted the public would suffer few inconveniences.

Transcontinental trains no longer will be permitted to carry half filled coaches. And they will make more stops since contemplated changes will eliminate numerous local trains. The number of trains from coast to coast will be fewer. Details as to the exact reduction in that service were refused, but it was understood the same curtailment would be effected as on connecting eastern lines where fewer trains have proved practical.

**North Routes Hit**

The "north" routes to the Pacific coast are regarded by officials as having the highest percentage of "superfluous trains." Therefore fewer trains, especially between Chicago and St. Paul, is certain to be the rule. Little change in southern transcontinental service is anticipated. One fast train, however, was said to be due for conversion into a local traffic carrier.

This action is another part of McAdoo's far-reaching plans for conserving transportation facilities in anticipation of the great strain expected as America's response to the allies' appeals for reinforcements.

Yesterday it was announced that to improve facilities in the congested East, McAdoo would construct and put into operation a line of barges on the Erie canal. This co-ordination of canal and railroad facilities will be under the direction of C. A. Tomlinson, Duluth, Minn., and all traffic that can be handled by water will be diverted to the canal.

### W. S. S. KEARNY DESERTERS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY

PASADENA, April 18.—Said to be deserters from Camp Kearny, Harry Turner and Arthur Langman, both of the 157th infantry, are under arrest here today awaiting arrival of military authorities. Both are said to admit the charge and declared they were en route east to join the navy.

W. S. S.

### FOUR MASTED SCHOONER ABANDONED OFF MEXICO

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Water logged and apparently abandoned, the four masted schooner Herald, New York, was sighted April 12 in latitude 23 degrees and 44 minutes and longitude 85 degrees 6 minutes west, according to a state department dispatch from the American consul at Tampico, Mexico, today.

## FRENCH ARTILLERY METING OUT DEATH AND DESTRUCT- ION ALONG FRONT OF MORE THAN FIFTY MILES TODAY

Artillery Fire of French Is  
Most Severe of Any Since  
Beginning of Present  
Gigantic Drive

BY HENRY WOOD  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES  
IN THE FIELD, April 17 (Night).—Every inch of the German lines from south of the Somme to the Oise—a front of ninety kilometers (55.89 miles)—is being pounded by the vastest artillery concentration yet attained by the allies. Even the country for miles to the rear of the enemy positions is under bombardment. Prisoners say the cannonading in addition to preventing the digging of a single trench is inflicting the heaviest losses.

**To Decide Hun Fate**

The offensive has reached a stage where allied military officials declare unanimously that the present battle is absolutely and irrevocably decisive for Germany. With the allies' present certainty of checking the German offensive, coupled with the known German losses, the Germans at the battle's end will be exhausted and incapable of seriously attempting another offensive. Instead, they will have to remain on the defensive, constantly threatened by internal upheavals, while American arrivals swell the superiority of the allies.

French military officials declare the French army is capable of waiting another eighteen months if necessary to attain a crushing superiority. But with the Americans maintaining or increasing their rate of arrivals, the final military victory is possible much sooner.

## BULLETINS

### BAKER WRITES TO SOLDIERS ABROAD

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY  
IN FRANCE, April 18.—Secretary Baker, in a letter to the American expeditious force, made public here today, promise to "speed up the transport of the remainder of the great army of which you are the vanguard."

"After a thorough inspection of the American force, I am returning to the United States with fresh enthusiasm to speed up the transport of the remainder of the great army of which you are the vanguard," he wrote.

General Pershing issued the following statement in connection with the letter:

"Adding to my own high appreciation of the splendid spirit of the army, your commander in chief wishes to impress the officers and men with a keen sense of their obligation resting upon them."

### "LIBERTY SHOES AND SUITS" NEXT

WASHINGTON, April 18.—America may soon wear "Liberty shoes" and "war suits"—to be manufactured at low cost on a large scale and with very few designs.

Models and specifications for the shoes and suits are being considered by the war industries board today. Standard war suits in few designs of standardized materials with retail prices fixed, is the plan.

Rapidly rising prices on necessities resulting from tremendous orders which are usurping the output of the clothing and shoe factories make it necessary for firm action by the government to protect civilians.

### FRENCH DISPERSE ENEMY ATTACK

PARIS, April 18.—Strong enemy attacks in the region of Corbeny and in the Chemin des Dames sector, following heavy artillery preparation were caught under our intense fire and dispersed, the French war statement said today.

"We conducted successful raids northwest of Rheims and took prisoners there."

W. S. S.

### FIVE BILLION NEW BOND GOAL

WASHINGTON, April 18.—With Liberty subscriptions well over a billion dollars today it was learned Secretary McAdoo had set five billion as the minimum result with which he will be satisfied. He warned today that "daily averages are still far below what they should be if even the three billion mark is to be reached or slightly exceeded."

Haig Again Withdraws From  
Wytschaete and Meteren  
In the Face of Vicious  
Enemy Assaults

LONDON, April 18.—"German infantry, attacking in three waves southeast of Kemmel Hill pressed us back slightly at one point, but a counter attack restored the situation," Field Marshal Haig reported today.

"Shortly after mid-day the attack had been repulsed at all points."

In the Bailleul sector, the enemy attacking three times before mid-day was completely repulsed. "Our line was intact on the whole front. There was no change in the British front during the night."

"There was hostile artillery on the Lys battle front, from Ginchy to eastward of Robecq, continuing until dawn between Locon and Robecq. "Local attacks in the Marris sector yesterday evening were repulsed."

"More detailed reports of the fighting yesterday in Nieppe Forest and on the Wytschaete front established the severity of the enemy's losses."

The Germans are in possession of Wytschaete and Meteren, it is admitted in Field Marshal Haig's night official report.

### Lose Villages

The British recaptured these villages in counter attacks yesterday morning but were compelled to evacuate them again in the face of continued enemy assaults. The French are co-operating with the British on this front, Haig said.

In the retirement east of Ypres, the British abandoned Passchendaele, Poelcapelle and Langemarck. It is claimed by the German war office. The Belgian communiques said that between Le Blankaert and the Ypres-Thourout railway a massed German attack gained a temporary advantage but that a counter assault restored the positions and resulted in the capture of 600 prisoners. Continued enemy bombardment north of Montdidier was reported in the French night communiques. The French laid down a counter bombardment.

### BRITISH GENERAL THANKS AMERICANS

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY  
IN FRANCE, April 18.—General Pershing today received a letter from Gen. Rawlinson, commander of the British fifth army, in which the latter declared it was largely due to assistance of American engineers that the British army was able to check the Germans in Picardy.

"The army commander wishes to record officially his appreciation of the excellent work of your regiment in assisting the British army to resist the enemy's powerful offensive. It was largely due to this that the enemy was checked."

This was the first definite information regarding American troops fighting in the Picardy battle.

### 22 NAMES IN CASUALTY LIST

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The names of 12 killed in action, three dead from wounds, and seven wounded severely are contained in today's casualty list announced by the war department.

Captain James E. Miller was among those killed in action.

W. S. S.

### SEEK ROBBER WHO BURGLARIZED BANK

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Circulars were sent broadcast over the United States today asking the arrest of Manuel Schenone, following his identification late yesterday as the third member of the party accused of robbing the Yokohama specie bank here of \$10,000. Employees of the bank made the identification. Schenone, who is said to have a police record here, could not be found in San Francisco.

W. S. S.

### LOCAL OPTION EVEN BREAK IN NEW YORK

ALBANY, N. Y., April 18.—The local option election in New York state yesterday was almost an even break between the drys and wets.

Twenty cities voted dry. Eighteen voted wet. In the larger cities votes of newly enfranchised women were about evenly split.



# News from the Courts

## JUDGMENT OF \$100 GIVEN RAITT, EACH PAYS HIS OWN COST

Last night about 9:30 o'clock the jury that tried the Aliso Dairy Co. case brought in a verdict of \$100 in favor of James J. Raitt against Charles T. Hall. Under the verdict each litigant pays his own costs.

The action grew out of the breaking up of the Aliso dairy in 1914. Hall was general manager and principal owner of the company, Raitt being superintendent at the dairy and of the delivery with a contract to carry stock. Differences arose, and Hall discharged Raitt. Raitt sued for \$22,250, alleging that had he been allowed to stay he would have been the gainer by reason of salary, the raise in the value of stock and on profits in the company.

Hall in his cross-examination alleged mismanagement of the dairy herd, and asked for damages of \$10,000.

The jury went out at 5 o'clock. For a long time the jury stood eight in favor of giving a judgment to Raitt, four in favor of giving him no judgment. Finally one juror agreed to vote for a judgment of \$100 for Raitt, and that judgment was decided upon by a vote of nine to three. Since the judgment was for less than \$300, each side must pay his own costs.

## WILL DISPOSES OF AN ESTATE OF \$35,000

This morning Attorneys Williams & Ryan filed the petition of Robert B. Weithrecht for the probate of the will of his mother, Mary Beals Weithrecht, who died on April 5 at Orange. The estate is valued at \$35,000. Under the will an orange grove on Walnut street, Orange, is to go to the son, Robert, and a daughter, Susan G. Weithrecht. A home at Orange is to go to Miss Weithrecht, and property in St. Paul, Minn., to Robert. These two and another brother are to have property in Canada.

## CASE IS DISMISSED

An action brought by Joseph Brown against George A. Cook upon notes of \$130 and \$135 has been dismissed. W. S. S.

## JUDGMENT GIVEN TO P. C. HEDDLSTON AGAINST W. H. AND HIRAM PARKER

A judgment for \$555 given to P. C. Heddlston against W. H. and Hiram Parker has been satisfied according to a paper filed with the county clerk yesterday. The judgment was satisfied upon payment of \$320.

## BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion, Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

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Cheap gravity water, piped to land—water stock goes with land. Must be sold quick—half cash required, 5 per cent off for all cash. See Write or call upon Mr. McGrath for further particulars.

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## WELLS' CERTIFICATE AS LAWYER CANCELLED BY APPELLATE COURT

The certificate of T. A. Wells to practice law in California has been cancelled. Word to that effect was received by District Attorney West today in a wire from Sacramento.

For several years Wells' efforts for admission to the bar were successfully opposed by the Orange County Bar Association. Wells went to Nevada, and was admitted there. He then went to Sacramento, where he was admitted to practice in this state.

The Bar Association entered the fight to have the certificate revoked, and has been carrying on the fight for the last year and a half.

## CO. CLERK EDWARDS NOT GOING TO RUN FOR RE-ELECTION AS CLERK

County Clerk N. T. Edwards is not going to be a candidate for re-election to the office he now holds. Edwards was appointed to the clerkship last October when W. B. Williams was appointed cashier of the First National Bank. Recent developments in his own business affairs have caused him to conclude that he will not ask for re-election. Over at Orange it is reported that he is being considered as a candidate for supervisor.

## HIT BY WIND, FLIERS LAND IN RIVER SAND

This morning two army fliers landed in an aeroplane in the dry bed of the Santa Ana river near E. J. Eaton's place at West Orange. The plane was on its way to Arcadia going north when it struck the strong north wind that came out of the mouth of the Santa Ana canyon. The plane was caught in the current, and the officers found it advisable to come down, which they did safely, after they had picked out a landing place.

The officers were Capt. Karl H. Gorman and Lieut. H. H. Wells. They were going from North Island to Whittier and Pasadena, when they struck the wind while flying at an altitude of 5,000 feet. They turned back until they were out of the wind before descending.

## WITH FIFTY-SIX CENTS IN BANK MEXICAN'S CHECKS TOTAL \$1000

Salvador Diaz Garay, a slave-Mexican fruit and vegetable peddler who had a route in the northern part of Fullerton, is a wanted man.

For two or three weeks he had been trying to trade his auto truck to Albert Sifton of Fullerton for an Overland used seven-passenger car. He admitted owing several hundred dollars on his truck and Sifton told him it would not be possible to trade till he secured a bill of sale for his truck. He traded his truck for a small Dodge car.

Saturday evening he appeared with the bill of sale of the Dodge and after two or three hours of dickering a trade was finally consummated, Sifton giving the seven-passenger car and taking the Dodge, a check for \$300 and a contract for the payment of the balance of \$150 on installments.

Garay said he intended to use the car in a passenger business between Fullerton, Anaheim and the beaches. It was learned later that Garay had given a check for \$625 in Los Angeles, one for \$50 and another for \$64 to Anaheim business houses, where he was well known, and the \$300 to Sifton, all on the Anaheim National Bank, when he had a balance of only 56 cents in that institution.

It is believed that Garay has made for Mexico.

## THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Friday; strong westerly winds.

## New York Citrus Market

NEW YORK, April 18.—Twenty-four cars of oranges and two of lemons sold today. Market on navels 15 to 25 cents higher, for 100 size and larger, firm on 125 size and smaller. Valencia steady, other varieties about 25 cents lower. Averages ranged from \$2.65 to \$7.34. High price, "Glendora Heights," \$8.00. Lemon market steady, average \$3.01 to \$3.82.

## THE TIDES

Friday, April 19, 1918  
5:29 a. m., 4.3; 12:26 p. m., 0.4; 7:07 p. m., 4.4.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

IN SANTA ANA  
August Eliste, 23, and Margaret Schmetgen, 23, both of Orange.  
Hans H. Christensen, 26, and Ivah M. Sanford, 23, both of Los Angeles.  
Clyde C. Kelly, 25, and Ruth Thompson, 25, both of Fullerton.

## BIRTHS

WARREN—In Santa Ana, Cal., April 18, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Warren, of 410 East Pine street, a seven-pound son.

## TOMORROW IS DATE SET TO HANG KEYES BUT IT IS STOPPED

Tomorrow, April 19, is the date set by Judge West for the hanging of Edward Keyes, murderer of Leonard Herwick of Santa Ana, aged 11. However, Keyes is not to be hanged tomorrow. The appeal taken to the Supreme Court acts as a stay of execution. After the appeal is determined, Keyes will be brought back here, to be tried again if the Superior Court is reversed, or to have a new date set for his hanging, should the Superior Court be sustained, as the district attorney believes it will be.

## BARBER SUPPLY HOUSE PAYS A FINE OF \$25

A plea of guilty was entered by the Kitchner Barber Supply Co. of Los Angeles, to a charge of selling short measure witch hazel to Herman Hsman, an Anaheim barber. County Sealer George McPhee swore to the complaint. It was declared that Hsman bought what he thought was a ten-gallon keg of witch hazel, and he was billed for that amount, when the keg contained only about nine-and-a-half gallons. Justice Cox imposed a fine of \$25, which was paid.

## ACTION IS BROUGHT TO CANCEL DEED TO LOT

An action has been started to cancel a contract and set aside a deed given by Charles E. Rothaernal to L. A. Leach upon two lots at Anaheim. The complaint alleges that payments of \$30 a month have not been made.

## PAUL SERVICE PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO CHARGE

Yesterday Paul Service of Los Alamitos entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of killing a dog that belonged to John Fox, a neighbor. Trial was set for April 21. Fox said that Service took the dog by the hind legs and beat him to death against a post. Service told Fox that the dog killed some of Service's chickens.

## POWELL TO SPEAK IN LOS ANGELES SATURDAY

A public address of considerable importance to fruit growers will be given at Symphony hall, 232 S. Hill street, Los Angeles, at 10 a. m. Saturday, by G. Harold Powell, general manager of the California Fruit Exchange. Powell is one of the Hoover food administration officials, in charge of perishable food products. He is now in Southern California and is directing his efforts to the conservation of food products. The subject of his address Saturday morning will be the "World's Food Condition."

L. D. Palmer, manager of the Orange Fruit Exchange, with headquarters at Orange, has been advised of the meeting, with a request that he advise local growers.

## SIX FUNERAL HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Mills & Winbiger Mission Funeral Home for Willis C. Six, who died Saturday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Six, 717 South Main.

Rev. A. F. Roadhouse of the First Christian church officiated, and Mrs. Emmeline Lord rendered solos. The pallbearers were Dr. Murlin of this city and Messrs. McCarter, Eckhardt, Pilling, Ryan and Richards of Los Angeles, the latter men being associated with the deceased in employment by the McComas Wholesale Dry Goods Co. of Los Angeles.

Mr. Six was 42 years of age and unmarried. Prior to coming to California five years ago, he operated a department store in Kirkwood, Mo. He had been a traveling salesman for the McComas company for five years, making his headquarters with his parents in this city for the last year, and was well known to business men throughout Southern California.

His brother, B. P. Six, of the Indian agency at White Earth, Minn., and sister, Mrs. J. R. Tull, of McFall, Mo., arrived here last night to attend the funeral.

## PRACTICES QUARTER CENTURY, QUILTS MAY 1

Rounding out a quarter of a century in the practice of dentistry in this city, Dr. P. R. Reynolds on the first of May will desert his dental parlors for the free and open air life. He has disposed of his dental business to Dr. J. H. Simpson, who recently arrived here from the northern part of the state, who will take up the business on the first of the coming month. Dr. Simpson comes to Santa Ana with the highest recommendations as a professional man.

Dr. Reynolds located in Santa Ana twenty-five years ago and for the past twenty years has occupied offices in the Rowley block. He has developed a big practice, and hosts of patrons in the county will regret to learn of his intended retirement.

Dr. Reynolds has no intention of leaving Santa Ana. He will devote himself to the enjoyment of the easy life, incidentally supervising operations on his splendid orange ranch in the Santa Ana canyon, near Olive.

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## BASEBALL BOYS INSURANCE MEN AT CAMP LEWIS WANT SUITS OF STATE TO MEET HERE

Chamber of Commerce Will Raise Fund to Purchase Uniforms

Pete Duhart, former baseball player of this city and now at Camp Lewis, wants baseball uniforms for a team which has been organized at camp. He has written Leo Brown asking him to see what he could do with reference to securing uniforms. Brown has passed the matter up to the Chamber of Commerce and the directors at a meeting last night decided to take action and raise a fund.

Ten uniforms used by the Holmes team of this city for one season, and costing \$68, may be had for \$20. Holmes having agreed to take this price for them. The directors agreed to contribute individually to a fund for the purchase of the suits instead of purchasing them with funds of the organization.

They believe that there are a number of ball fans in the city who would be glad of an opportunity to contribute to such a fund, and Secretary Metzgar was authorized to open a subscription list. Contributions of \$1 or more will be acceptable.

Duhart advised Brown that a good team had been organized, but he did not say whether it was composed of Santa Ana or Orange county boys. He is with the 36th Regiment.

## AIRCRAFT OFFICIALS ARE READY TO RESIGN

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Officials now engaged in the government's aircraft production program have expressed their willingness to President Wilson to resign if he desires, preliminary to his expected reorganization of this branch of the war work.



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KID'S PAIN

California Association of Insurance Agents to Gather Here May 18th

The California Association of Insurance Agents, "the liveliest organization in the state," is to make Santa Ana its headquarters for annual assembly this year, according to announcement made this morning. The insurance writers will gather in Santa Ana on May 18, to thresh out their problems for the coming year.

Arrangements for the program have been left in the hands of the governing committee of the Santa Ana Insurance Club, consisting of John McFadden, C. A. Kingston, Mrs. Ben E. Turner, Charles B. Morgan, Parke S. Roper and Mac O. Robbins. Although they have reached no definite plan for the program, as yet, the local committee say it will be a good one.

According to Mac Robbins, the morning and afternoon will be devoted to sessions, business and pleasure, and at night a big barbecue will be held in the county park.

W. G. Thompson of Napa is president of the organization.

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## German Alliance of Wisconsin Is Thrown Into Discard By Head

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 18.—The Wisconsin German Alliance is no more today. Although Wisconsin is perhaps the most largely German populated state in the union, little objection was raised to the disbanding of the alliance. Its \$350 in the treasury was given to the Red Cross.

Fuller brushes. Mrs. Cheney, 1265-W.

## OAKLAND FIGHT FANS GET MONEY'S WORTH

OAKLAND, Cal., April 18.—Oakland fight fans today felt like they had their money's worth after seeing the bout between Jimmy Duffy and Young Brown last night. Duffy floored Brown in the third and in the fourth Brown was rather weary, but it was a hot fight all the way. Duffy got the decision.

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## BRITISH RECOVERING INITIATIVE AS HUNS PLUNGE ON TO DEATH IN HILLS NEAR YPRES

Review of Situation By United Press War Expert Shows Boche Weakening

BY J. W. T. MASON  
Written for the United Press  
NEW YORK, April 18.—The British are recovering the initiative in the struggle for the hills south of Ypres. The re-capture of Meteren by Marshal Haig indicates that von Hindenburg's plans are being seriously disarranged. Instead of proceeding with his operations against Ypres from the south, Hindenburg has shifted his attacks to the east, where there are still more death traps for him in the hills.

The slight retirement in this area by the British suggests simply a tactical re-arrangement, which should present new difficulties for the Germans.

Hindenburg's continued efforts to penetrate through the Ypres highlands from any direction, at so heavy a cost in casualties, has now become a measure of self-defense to protect a highly dangerous German salient to the east of Nieppe forest.

**The Weakest Link**  
This salient is the weakest link in the new German front. Hindenburg is compelled to risk holding fast to it, because it represents the nearest approach of the German line to the important British railway junction at Hazebrouck. The capture of Hazebrouck is Hindenburg's immediate objective as the most necessary preliminary step in his effort to reach the channel ports.

In his latest efforts to reach Hazebrouck, however, Hindenburg has come perilously near over-looking his hand. The British position here is a continuation of the British salient at Ypres. The two together form a huge S turned upside down. The Ypres salient runs eastward into the German line in the upper half of the S and the Nieppe forest salient extends westward into the British line in the lower half of the S.

If the British hold fast to Ypres, the German front cannot be straightened. Any time General Foch concludes the situation is critical he can strike the German Nieppe salient with his reserves and doubtless bend it back. But to do this now while Hindenburg is so ferociously playing his own men, is probably not General Foch's plan. Hindenburg must be given all possible freedom first for self-destruction.

W. S. S.

## AMERICAN ARTILLERY AIDING IN WIPING OUT HUN GUNS

Accuracy of Sammy Gunners Wins Favorable Comment Of The French

WITH THE AMERICAN ARTILLERY IN LORRAINE, April 17 (Night).—The American artillery on this front already has reduced the German artillery by two-thirds, silencing enemy batteries with only a few minutes' bombardment. The French are amazed at the Yankee gunners' accuracy. A lieutenant commanding one gun spotted a German "rolling kitchen."

"By gosh! I'll bet I can splash one in Heinie's soup," he exclaimed. The first shot was "too long." The second was "too short." The third spilled the soup.

**Hit Anything**  
This is just an example of the extremely small targets the American artillerymen are capable of hitting.

The Americans are now the masters of No Man's Land on this sector. Every night five to eight patrols scurry from the outposts and smash the enemy's dugouts, listening posts and machine gun nests.

An officer and 12 men raided five machine gun nests, a field telephone post and some snipers' hiding places without loss. They spent five hours mapping the entire area before that section of the American trenches.

W. S. S.

## HINDU GROUP LEADER ADMITS RELATIONS WITH GERMANY

Dr. C. K. Chakravarty Tells Jury That He Was "Associated With Germany"

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—"I do not deny my relations with Germany," Dr. C. K. Chakravarty, confessed leader of the Hindu group charged with conspiring to overthrow British rule in India, calmly told a jury late yesterday.

In a brief talk to the jury in his own behalf, Chakravarty admitted going to Berlin in the interests of the Hindu revolt plot in 1915 and later securing \$60,000 by Wolf von Igel in New York. He added, however, that he had no part in "putting on foot a military enterprise" against Great Britain. The trial of thirty-one defendants on the charge of plotting the revolt on American soil, neared completion today after practically four months of continuous sessions. Defense attorneys, each representing various Hindu, German and American prisoners, spoke their allotted periods today.

The case was expected to go to the jury late Saturday or Monday.

W. S. S.

## DECAYED BODY OF MAN FOUND NEAR CHICO BY LINEMAN: NOT KNOWN

CHICO, Cal., April 18.—Attempts to identify the body of a man found by Edward Alspaugh, telephone lineman, partly buried in the snow, were unavailing today.

Alspaugh found the body by following coyote tracks through the snow. Part of the body had been eaten away by beasts, and a revolver was clutched in one hand, possibly indicating he had killed himself when unable to beat off some animals' attack.

W. S. S.

## AGED BANKER, PROMINENT IN UNITED STATES, DEAD

NEW YORK, April 18.—Luther Kountze, aged 73, one of the leading bankers in the United States, is dead here today.

With his brothers he entered the banking business first in Omaha, Neb., organizing what later became the First National Bank of Omaha. Later he organized the Colorado National Bank.

After spending one year in London studying finance, he later returned to this country in 1870 and organized the banking firm of Kountze Brothers.

W. S. S.

## DIVERS SEARCHING BAY FOR AVIATOR

SAN DIEGO, April 18.—Divers were searching today for the body of Lieut. Guinn W. Mattern, formerly of Dayton, Ohio, who fell to his death in San Diego bay late yesterday. Mattern, doing a tail spin, dropped 1500 feet into the bay channel and machine and aviator disappeared.

He is the fourth aviation victim at North Island since the United States declared war.

W. S. S.

## ENEMY SUBMARINES SINK ITALIAN BOATS

ROME, April 18.—One Italian merchantman of more than 1500 tons and two smaller craft were sunk by enemy submarines in the past week, it was officially announced today. One steamer beat off a U-boat attack.

W. S. S.

April 18, 1918. My wife, Mrs. Ida Marguerite Bennett, has left my bed and board, and I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any bills or debts she may contract. C. A. Bennett.

## GENERAL FOCH

General F. Foch, Generalissimo of the Allied Armies on the West front, was born at Tarbes in 1851. Like Marshal Joffre his career began in the Franco-Prussian War when he enlisted as a volunteer in the 4th Regiment of Infantry.

He is however an artilleryman, receiving his education at the Ecole Polytechnique and the Ecole D'Artillerie de Fontainebleau. In 1875 he was commissioned a lieutenant of artillery and served in various artillery regiments until he was made a colonel in 1903. Later he was a member of the General Staff and taught at the War College.

At the outbreak of the present war he was in command of the Twentieth Division of Artillery. It was he who defeated the Imperial Prussian Guard at the battle of the Marne and directed the French forces at Ypres.

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Activity of French Guns and Strength of British, Improves Situation

The French apparently are concentrating the heaviest artillery fire since the German drive started, on a 56 mile front extending from a point south of the Somme, east of Amiens to the Oise in the vicinity of Noyon.

This bombardment reported in a United Press dispatch from Henry Wood, covers every inch of the German positions and the rear areas for miles back of their lines. Prisoners say the cannonading has caused heavy casualties and has prevented the enemy from digging in.

**All Points Included**  
The points of the farthest German penetration in Picardy are included in this bombardment. It also includes the greater part of the southern leg of the Hindenburg triangle in this region—believed by many military critics to represent the most vulnerable part of the German advance. The next few hours are expected to reveal whether this cannonading is preparatory to a major counter offensive by the allies. On the Flanders front Haig claims to be holding his own. His official report today said there "was no change on the British front last night." He reported the repulse of a determined enemy assault against Mont Kemmel from the direction of Wulverghem, and the complete breakdown of a German attack in the Bailloul sector, to the southwest of Mont Kemmel.

**Emphasized Losses**  
Haig also reported heavy artillery fighting on the southern edge of the Flanders salient and the repulse of local attacks there. He emphasized the heavy German losses in the fighting around Mierpe Forest and Wytschaete yesterday.

The British withdrawal east of Ypres on Tuesday is not clearly outlined.

Apparently Haig moved his lines back an average of about three miles. It would appear that they now run from about Zillebeke, a mile and a half east and south of Ypres, northward to a point just west of Lange-marck, which Hindenburg claims to occupy.

The retirement must have necessitated a similar slight retreat by the Belgians, whose lines, according to an official communique, joined Haig's at the Ypres-Thourout railway, which runs northeastward through Lange-marck. The Belgian report said a German attack between this railway and Le Blankaert was repulsed. This indicated an extension of the Flanders fighting to a point eight miles north of Ypres and less than three miles south of Dixmude. The city is less than ten miles south of the point where the west front touches the North Sea.

W. S. S.

## NIGHT REPORTS

Brief Summary of the News Which Appeared In This Morning's Papers

**BRITISH SHIP LOSS TOTALS 15**  
LONDON, April 17.—The losses to British shipping by mine or submarine in the past week totaled fifteen, according to the Admiralty report tonight. Eleven of the merchantmen sunk were 1600 tons or over and four under that tonnage. One fishing vessel also was sunk.

**THOUSANDS OF BOHEMIANS STARVE**  
WASHINGTON, April 17.—Thousands of families in Bohemia, especially at Prague and vicinity, are starving, according to an official dispatch from France today which quoted the Leipziger Volks Zeitung. Last week it was estimated that there was a deficit of 100,000 loaves of bread in Prague.

**CONVICTS TAR AND FEATHER GERMAN**  
SANTA FE, N. M., April 17.—Four hundred convicts in the state penitentiary this afternoon tarred and feathered and led, with a rope about his neck, Major John M. Birkner of Camp Cody, Deming, N. M., held in the penitentiary as a Federal prisoner in default of \$5000 bail. He is charged with violation of the espionage act.

W. S. S.

## "Why Didn't I Prevent It," Kaiser Is Quoted As Saying In Speech

AMSTERDAM, April 18.—"Why didn't I try to keep the world free from these atrocities?" the kaiser is quoted as saying during a visit to the Armentieres battlefield, in a dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger.

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Such words as "each time you smile I am younger by a year and your kisses put stars in my eyes, my babies!" cannot in themselves bring tears to the eyes, but the picture in which they are silently spoken can bring the thrill that is like the touch of an unseen power. You may not know what it is that grips you, but you know there is something there deeper, truer, more lasting than any picture story you ever saw.

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The Pit of the Terrible Wars.  
The Million Blue Birds.  
The Forest of Night.  
The Graveyard of the Happy Dead.  
The Joy of Thinking.  
The Fog of Forgetfulness.  
The Palace of Happiness.  
The Cave of Miseries.  
The Luxury of Being Rich.  
The Luxury of Satisfied Vanity.  
The Cathedral of Happiness.  
The Destruction of the Banquet Hall.  
The Happiness of Being Well.  
The Happiness of Pure Air.  
The Happiness of the Blue Sky.  
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**BEGINNING TO SEE**

We can no longer point to Germany in refutation of Lincoln's famous epigram, as a country where all the people are fooled all the time. There are scattered flashes of understanding. One of them is emitted by Deputy Haase, Independent Socialist, in a speech in the Reichstag, the text of which has recently arrived in this country.

Discussing Germany's foreign affairs, he bitterly arraigns Chancellor von Hertling, calling him "only the signboard of the government, which is controlled by the military party in which General Ludendorff is the ruling factor."

"Why don't you pursue an honest policy?" he demands. "How can you still talk of a defensive war and assert we do not want to take anything away from anybody?"

"Contrary to the assurances given that we would not interfere in the internal affairs of Russia, she is now being forced under the yoke."

"The way peace is being made in the east can only injure Germany. Our children will suffer with their blood for the consequences of this policy."

"And how does this policy react on our enemies in the west? Does anyone believe that in view of our treatment of Russia any other government which has not collapsed totally would enter into negotiations for a separate peace with Germany?"

There must be a good many Germans by this time who see as Deputy Haase does. And there will be more and more of them. The German masses have been blinded by the false glamor of their easy Russian conquest, and by hope of a decisive stroke on the western front. When the present drive has ended in failure, and they have counted the cost, the demand for "an honest policy" and an end of the bloodshed will swell to an irrepressible roar.

**BABIES AND SOLDIERS**

One thinks of soldiers living in muddy and horrible trenches, subject to constant danger of life and limb, with all the chances against their safety.

One thinks of babies lying cuddled in soft flannel, surrounded by watchful and loving care, with all the chances in their favor.

Yet the soldier's chance of life at the end of a year is about seven times that of a baby. Figures compiled by the secretary of war and by the London Prudential Insurance Company show that the loss of life in the British forces at the front, from all causes, is only a little more than 2 per cent a year. But out of 2,500,000 babies born every year in the United States, more than 350,000 die before they are one year old. That is more than 14 per cent.

Which would you rather be—a soldier, or a baby? And now that there are so many forces working their mightiest to save our soldiers, and to reduce their mortality rate even below that 2 per cent of the British at war, isn't it about time that some of the intelligence of the country be devoted to saving the babies who die so unnecessarily before they have had their chance? The Children's Bureau at Washington and many other agencies are working along this line. But they must have the co-operation of every citizen in order to succeed. It's not only the mother who is responsible. The neighbor who is not cleanly about his garbage may cause a baby's death.

It is estimated that it has cost Germany over 300 men for every square mile of territory won in the big drive. It makes an interesting problem in arithmetic to figure out how many male Germans will be left, at that rate, to enjoy the fruits of victory when Hindenburg has conquered France.

**AN END TO IDLING**

Idleness is going out of fashion in this country. Many states and smaller communities have enacted laws and ordinances abolishing idleness of every sort, from the playing of the idle rich to the frank loafing of the hobo.

Now Canada has gone further than we have, and has swept idleness out of the dominion by making it a crime punishable by fine or imprisonment. The order-in-council dealing with the problem states that in order, to utilize to the best advantage the human energy of Canada, special provisions are necessitated to the end that all persons domiciled in Canada shall, in the absence of reasonable cause to the contrary, engage in useful occupations.

Physical incapacity and old age are considered reasonable causes to the contrary. Also attendance at an institution of learning and bona fide pursuit of training for special lines of work are recognized as useful occupations until the course of training may be completed. But aside from these obviously necessary exceptions, there is little hope for the unemployed in Canada. A fine equal to \$100 or six months' imprisonment followed by employment at a real job will be the lot of the idler.

It is to be hoped that the whole civilized world will acquire the habit of useful activity before the war ends. Perhaps then some of the hitherto neglected work of the world will get done when the emergency needs of the war have passed.

**SLAVERY**

The blessings of Prussianism have been brought to Italy, even as they have to Belgium, Serbia, Roumania, Finland, Poland and other odd bits of territory formerly unacquainted with the Kaiser and his "German God." Here is a copy of a military order posted in an agricultural section of northern Italy:

"Disobedience will be punished in the following manner:

"Lazy workmen will be accompanied to work and watched by Germans. After the harvest they will be imprisoned for six months, and every third day given nothing but bread and water. Lazy women will be

obliged to work, and after the harvest will receive six months' imprisonment. Lazy children will be punished by beating. The commandant reserves the right to punish lazy women with 20 lashes daily."

We have imagined that human slavery had disappeared forever from the world. But here it is, as hideous as ever, following in the train of the conquering Prussian, and punishing men, women and children under its yoke.

No other nation in modern times has reduced the civilian population of conquered territory to such bondage. For anything corresponding to it, we have to go back to the wars of savage tribes in past centuries, or of military nations before the Christian era.

That is one of the countless crimes that we have gone to war to avenge and prevent. It is one of the reasons we are buying Liberty Bonds. The Prussians will be doing the same thing with our women and children if they ever get a foothold on American soil.

**BUT ONE REAL BUSINESS**

Will H. Hays, Chairman of the National Republican Committee, in speaking at the meeting of the Red Cross organization which conducted the first week's drive for the Third Liberty Loan Bonds in Los Angeles, said:

"Today there is one real business in America and that is to win the war. There is only one side to the question of war, and that is to wage every interest to the one ultimate goal—'Victory.' And today every political party in this country entitled to any consideration, shall stand side by side for that cause. There is no time to discuss causes of the war. We are in France and going in millions to fight, and if it is not fought out there, it will be fought out here. More Liberty Bonds mean less blood; not only less American blood but less blood of the innocent children and women of France spilled by the German murderers. We are fighting so that kind of business can no longer go on in this world."

"We must have peace by victory and never by bargaining, and every loyal American must prove himself so, who cannot go across the water and fight, by buying all the Third Liberty Loan Bonds he can buy. Democracy must win and shall win, and the man at home has just as important a part to play in this terrible ordeal as the man who is bearing the sacrifices in the trenches."

**BILLIONS IN TAXES**

Nobody knew how rich our country was, or how much money our people had been making. The government estimated that the income and excess profits taxes would yield a revenue of \$2,500,000,000 on the business of the last calendar year. Estimates from taxpayers' reports now indicate that the amount will be no less than \$3,500,000,000 and may rise as high as \$4,000,000,000.

This promising outlook is inclining the treasury department more favorably toward a request made almost unanimously by the country's business and financial interests, for permission to pay these taxes in installments instead of in one lump. It is manifest that the larger the taxes, the more difficult our people will find in meeting them, and the greater danger there will be to the nation's business stability if they have to be paid all on June 15 according to the original plan. An added disadvantage is the fact that many citizens hesitate to invest so largely in Liberty Bonds as they otherwise would, because they fear that if they do they will have trouble in meeting their federal taxes in June.

The internal revenue commissioner announced the other day that there might be an extension of time, allowing payment in three installments on June 15, August 15 and October 15 respectively. The government apparently could well afford to grant this concession.

**MAKING THE ENEMY BLUE**

Certain German prisoners taken lately are reported to be much depressed. The cause of their depression was the spectacle of American troops marching past their camp in one continuous procession for four days.

"I had heard that America was in the war," remarked a German officer. "It was denied for a long time, but has recently been admitted. None of us, though, had any idea that Americans were in France by the hundreds of thousands. We were told that they couldn't get over on account of the U-boats. And we never imagined that any large part of those that had arrived were ready to fight."

It was, indeed, a sight to give a loyal subject of the Kaiser the blues. And as the truth about our military progress percolates through Germany, it will make the German nation blue, thereby hastening the end of the war.

**Bud Flivver's Observations**

"Isn't it funny—How some people—Can get attached—To things sometimes—And make a fuss over them?"

"I went down to—Ezra Clutter's house—To see if they—Had any more—Grated horseradish to sell—"

"And when Mrs. Clutter—Came to the door—The tears were—Sliding down—The wrinkles in her face—"

"And I thought—The tears were—From grating horseradish—And I was feeling jolly—And I asked her—Why all the weeps—"

"And she said—It wasn't so funny—And she asked me—Wouldn't I come in—And I would—"

"And she motioned me—To sit down—And she began—To sob and sniffle—And carry on something fierce—"

"And I asked her—Had she had—A racket with Ezra—Or had she heard—Bad news from the front—"

"And she wiped away the tears—And she said—'My poor Dickey—Died this morning—And I don't know—What I'll do—'"

"And I told her—Misfortune came to—The best of families—And it was a thing—That must be expected—"

"And I started in—To console her—And I told her—How my youngest sister—Had a fine baby boy—And lost it last fall—"

"And I told her—How we all grieved—And thought no one—Could take his place—Or anything—"

"And I got to—Feeling weepy myself—And we sobbed in concert—And lamented her loss—"

"And I asked her—Didn't she think—She could adopt—Some orphan child—And learn to love it—"

"And she said—She guessed she could—But children were—Such a trial—For one of her age—To take and raise—"

"And she said—They were always—Getting the croup—And crying around—And getting hurt—"

"And I asked her—Didn't Dickey ever cry—And she looked at me—Like she thought—I had lost my mind—"

"And she said—'Dickey couldn't cry—If he wanted to—'And she said—One of the seeds—Was too big—And he choked to death—"

"And I asked her—What kind of seeds—Was the child—Trying to eat—And she said—'Dickey wasn't a child—He was a canary bird—'—By Bud."



**Lend Me Your Ears**  
By George Rix

Of all glad words of tongue or pen the gladdest are these: It might have been worse.

Red Cross workers are doing a great deal of hemming, but very little hawing.

One kind of German dye is the gore on Kaiser Bill's hands.

No, Clarence, the open door in China has nothing to do with the draft now being felt in the United States.

One of the most discouraging things in life, says the man in ad alley, is a cold poached egg.

Hereby be it known that our waterfront reporter is not a beach nut.

Why is a breakfast nook?  
Or a ukelele?

Remember, you can serve by conserving.

A nervous man rises to suggest a noiseless day for children.

Now that they are exterminating the squirrels, maybe the loose nuts will have a little peace.

Piece of what?  
Are you in favor of full or half portion dresses for women?

Officer Kelley says: "If the kaiser rules th' world it won't be golden rule."

Though the divorce court judge is not a fiction builder, is not a fiction writer, he often has to part two. And he sometimes prefaces his remarks.

At last a use has been found for goats outside politics. A Kansas farmer uses a flock of them to tramp down the ensilage in his silo.

How many cooks does it take to spoil the broth?

That's a foolish question!

Why not plant kale and harvest the long green?

Kings may come and kaisers may go—but the electric companies will still have power.

How d'ye mean that?

If she's the right sort, a wife's kisses, like violins and old wine, should improve with the passing years.

One touch of scandal makes the whole neighborhood chin.

You've noticed that!

And the profiteers are shouting the battle-cry of feed 'em.

Nothing to do till tomorrow.

**"IT SURE DOES THE WORK"**  
—Changeable weather and wet feet make March a dangerous month for coughs, cold, croup and whooping cough. Be prepared to get prompt relief. Don't let a cold run into serious sickness. Mrs. W. H. Thornton, 3523 W. 10th St., Little Rock, Ark., writes: "My little boy had a severe attack of croup and I honestly believe he would have died if it had not been for Foley's Honey and Tar. Two doses relieved him. I would not be without it at any price."—Rowley Drug Co.

**WALNUT ASSOCIATION MEMBERS**  
Members of the Santa Ana Valley Walnut Growers' Association will please call at the walnut house Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week and get empty sacks and checks for cull walnuts.

O. H. BURKE, Secy.  
W. S. S.

Suitorium service please. 309 E. 4th.  
W. S. S.

Dr. Hancock wants hard cases.

**NEIGHBORING NEWS**

Sunny Southland in Brief

**LONG BEACH.**—Presenting to the Board of Education a request for an increase of 20 per cent in the salaries of high school and kindergarten teachers and as much of an increase as possible in the salaries of elementary school teachers, the Teachers' Interest committee of the City Teachers' Club reported that 56 per cent of the Long Beach pedagogues are considering entering other lines of work, 90 per cent are unable to lay aside any savings for the future.

**PASADENA.**—While there are as yet no balloons in action at the Arcadia field, where, if plans are carried out, a great government training station is to be established, aviators have made their appearance with aeroplanes. And Pasadena already is thrilled.

An aviator is at work gathering upper air data and looking over the field from aloft and this morning he made several dives and loops over Pasadena.

Temporary hangars for the aviators have been constructed on the field.

**LONG BEACH.**—As a result of the operation whereby serious abdominal injuries were corrected, Gridsoll Christofferson, the aviator who fell with Lawrence Reel Tuesday, when Reel killed, was said to have a chance to recover.

**SAN DIEGO.**—Second Lieutenant Guinn W. Mattern, 115 South William street, Dayton, O., was drowned today when his airplane fell 1500 feet into the bay, striking the water where a depth of from fifty to sixty feet is recorded. Lieutenant Mattern was attached to the Rockwell Field Signal Corps aviation school at North Island.

**LOS ANGELES.**—Mrs. Lillian Otis Brumfield-Bailey, who was arrested by Federal officers Tuesday night on a charge of having married two soldiers to secure their allowances from the Government, was taken to the county hospital yesterday afternoon, suffering from the effects of a drug. It is expected she will prematurely become a mother.

**SANTA ANA FAILING TO GO OVER THE TOP**

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more than the quota were subscribed, the loan must necessarily be regarded as a humiliating failure. We feel that in Los Angeles city we have our quota practically realized and assured today, but we are today launching for the first time two pieces of machinery for the gathering of subscriptions which we believe will multiply the total number of subscriptions we now have by probably four or five, and we will not consider the campaign closed until midnight of May 5th.

"Will you please let me know if this is the spirit of your district, as I feel sure it is."

**The Reply**

Mr. Bisby responded as follows: "My dear Mr. McKee,—I was sorry to receive your letter telling me that we have not done our full duty. I must acknowledge that, to a certain extent, you are right. However, I believe that the natural pride our people have in their city will cause them to rally to the standard. I am publishing your letter, together with my answer, so that every one may see just how we stand. I believe in the fullest publicity in all these matters pertaining to the government business.

The citizens of Santa Ana are as loyal as any people I know, but seem to be just a little slow in recognizing that NOW is the time to do things.

Yours,

R. L. BISBY,  
Chairman Orange County Liberty Loan Committee.

**W. S. S.**  
Cut out and present coupon of our ad in this paper and get free sample of our new dye. Reinhaus Department Store.

**W. S. S.**  
**LADIES' TAILORING,** reduced prices. Chas. Land, 109 E. Third St.

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It pays to buy trousers that are giving satisfaction to the greatest numbers.

**Dutchess Trousers**  
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are in a class by themselves—ask any man who wears them. Our new stocks include patterns for business or dress. With every pair is issued a service warranty—10c a Button; \$1.00 a Rip.

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**IT GIVES TO ALL IT TOUCHES.**  
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The success of one is the signal for others to emulate the example, or to search out the secret. But success furnishes no secret formulas. The way is open.

"Success is a conquest—not a bequest." Webster said that "it is to work, and not to genius, I owe my success."

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## SOCIETY

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DOINGS OF CLUBS  
PERSONALS

## CHINA UP-TO-DATE

## Topic at Baptist Missionary Meeting Yesterday, Following Red Cross Class

The Baptist ladies' surgical dressings and sewing class, which meets each Wednesday at the North Side rooms, adjourned at two o'clock to go to the church to hold its regular missionary meeting. The meeting opened with the song, "How Firm a Foundation."

The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Abbie Darling. The topic for the day was "China Up to Date," with Mrs. F. G. Davies as leader. She had prepared an excellent program, including, "A Trip by Boat up the Yangtze River," Mrs. W. B. Lockett; "Medical Missions in Hospital Work," Mrs. H. P. Makosky; "A Trip by Air Over South China," Miss Roberta Owens, and of special interest to the members and friends, was a trip to the mission curio room, where much thought and effort had been given to make this room of special appeal for missions.

The usual hour was devoted to regular business of the society. A good report was read of the year's work, accomplished with Mrs. F. L. Austin as president. The newly elected president, Mrs. Minnie Holmes, presided at this meeting.

Committees were appointed to take care of the Santa Ana Valley Baptist Association, which will meet here in May.

The following ladies, Miss Emily Cox, Misses Davies, Holmes, Austin, French, Hill and Bibber, went to Pasadena today to attend the meeting of the South Pacific district, now convening there. A number of girls of the World Wide Guild expect to go up Friday.

—W. S. S.—

John Wesley Hancock, Optometrist, near P. O., holds record of highest grades ever made in California.

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Special while they last,  
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Take your timepiece to a specialist.

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## FOR THE GIRLS

## Miss Julia Austin, Miss Edith Ryan Talk at Vocation Conference

At the second annual vocational conference, held Tuesday at the high school, the girls remained in the auditorium, where they were first addressed by Miss Julia Austin, of the public employment bureau in Los Angeles. She stated that the war had changed prejudices against women in the industries, and that they must fill vacancies left by the departure of men. The men will not retake their positions after the war because the women will have been found more efficient.

There is a great opportunity for girls in the department stores. They are put through each department into the opening where they are best fitted. The theory that only uneducated girls can be used in factories is being done away with. The factories demand educated girls. There are also splendid opportunities for girls in the small business enterprises, and in the social service.

She stated that all girls should now fit themselves for work, and learn to do one thing well. Miss Edith Ryan, a Red Cross nurse, told them of the conditions over there, and drew a plan on the black board. The French nursing service is nearly gone, the English one is fairly well balanced, the Canadian strong, and it is up to the American people to help out all the others, as well as maintain one of their own.

First aid is administered just behind the lines in dug-outs, with the field hospitals six miles behind the lines. There are 200,000 nurses in the United States, 45,000 of them registered, and 40,000 subject to call. New nurses must be going to hospitals now to release present nurses.

She made the emphatic statement that girls are slackers if they do not work their hardest. A law goes into effect in September, that girls not having graduated from high school, cannot enter an accredited hospital.

Germany had eight million nurses at the start of the war, and the United States 200,000, each girl must do her part to make America a fit place for the boys to return to.

The conference was closed with the singing of the new verse to "America," God Save Our Men.

## Red Cross Art Benefit

Misses Beulah May and Evelyn Nunn, members of the Santa Ana Art Guild, attended a meeting of the California Art Club in Los Angeles recently, at which a splendid talk and demonstration on "The Making of Engravings and Prints" was given by Benjamin Brown, president of the California Print Club.

The Art Guild is happy to report its success in obtaining about thirty original engravings, monotypes and Japanese block prints for the coming art exhibit to be held in Elks hall. These with the high quality of oil paintings already secured will furnish an exhibit that will be a rare treat to the city.

Members of the Junior Red Cross will have tickets for sale in a few days.

## Keep Date April 25

The ladies of Santa Ana are urged to keep Thursday, April 25, for attendance at the annual meeting of the Federated Missionary Society. Both home and foreign missionary work will be discussed by good speakers, and reports will be heard from all the local presbyters.

The meeting will be presided over by Mrs. Lloyd Darsie, and Dr. Darsie has consented to come from San Pedro and tell us of the Y. M. C. A. work in the army, which will be of interest to the friends of all our boys now on duty. The meeting will be held in the United Presbyterian church, beginning at 9:30 a. m.

## Missionary Meeting

The Foreign Missionary meeting in the First M. E. church Wednesday afternoon, had many features of interest.

Mrs. W. O. McLeod and Mrs. H. W. Peck gave reports of the recent quarterly conference at Glendale.

Mrs. Dean, of Escondido, who will speak at the convention on Thursday, spoke of her work as superintendent of young women's work, and Mrs. Mary Halstead very beautifully sang the solo by Ballany, "Come Unto Me," accompanied by Mrs. W. B. Snow at the piano.

Mrs. Brandebury had charge of the study, "Among the Crescent and the Cross," Mrs. J. E. Jayne introduced "The Woman in Black," whose interests are the same as ours—in her home and community only her belief is in faith instead of God. Mrs. Cox introduced "The Bride of the Bush," and Mrs. Brandebury told more of these demon-shackled women and the need of religious work among them.

## For Junior Red Cross

The McKinley P. T. A. has prepared a very charming program for an entertainment for the benefit of the Junior Red Cross of that school to be given tomorrow night in the kindergarten room of the school.

The following is the program: Piano solo, George Sackman; reading, Harriet Owens; song, Horseshoe Rhythm, six kindergarten children; reading, Miss Winifred Roberts; Irish songs, Prof. Harry Garstang; piano solo, Constance Vesely; colonial dance, high school girls; reading, Mrs. Spencer McKern; vocal solo, Miss Alice Cranston; pianologue, Miss Wanda Davis; "Keep the Home Fires Burning," kindergarten children.

## JUNIOR RED CROSS

## Twenty-eight Mothers Gather In Good Cause, Many Garments Made

Twenty-eight mothers and friends of the Fifth Street Junior Red Cross Sewing Circle met as usual Tuesday afternoon in the kindergarten bungalow, which not being in use this year has been converted into a work room for this worthy cause.

Under the splendid leadership of Mrs. G. H. Eberlein, president of the Fifth Street P. T. A., with the assistance of her capable mother, Mrs. Grace, much is being accomplished for the French and Belgian refugees. Each week many little garments are cut and made while the old clothing is sorted and mended ready for shipment. Two hundred and ninety garments have been sent away as the result of seven weeks' work while 34 little garments have been given to needy Mexican children in the district.

Tuesday being the occasion of the regular meeting of the Fifth Street P. T. A., the hum of voices ceased for a time, while the president conducted a short business session.

Heartly applause greeted the reports of the Junior Red Cross treasurer and sewing circle leader, as well as the sale of thrift stamps to the amount of \$194 reported by the principal.

A nominating committee was appointed to report at the May meeting. It was decided to have a candy booth at the auto show April 22, provided space can be secured.

Any one in the neighborhood interested in this common cause is invited to meet with the circle each Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Worn clothing, scraps of cloth large enough for baby caps, booties, dresses, etc.; new pieces for quilts, old pieces for gun wipes, in fact, anything you have to give away, either for sewing or for salvage will be most gratefully received by the Junior Red Cross of the Fifth Street school.

## Delhi Red Cross Dance

A Red Cross benefit and dance will be given in the Delhi grammar school on Saturday, April 20. This is the second dance of a series to be given for the benefit of the Glorietta branch of the Red Cross. Everybody who is patriotically inclined is cordially invited to attend.

There will be good music by a three-piece orchestra and a good floor. Ice cream, soda and novelties will be at hand and sandwiches will be provided free. Be prepared for a fine time and remember all proceeds are for the Glorietta Red Cross.

## Class to Work

The Eastern Star Auxiliary of the Red Cross will meet at Masonic Temple tomorrow at one o'clock, for sewing. No surgical dressings will be made. Take needle, thimble and scissors.

## Congregational Mission Meeting

The ladies of the Congregational church met yesterday afternoon at the pleasant bungalow home of Mrs. F. H. Eley, for their regular April missionary meeting, at which a good program was given.

Mrs. N. A. Beals had an interesting review of chapter four of "An African Trail" and Mrs. Russell Coleman was heard in a delightful solo.

Good reports of the annual meeting at San Bernardino were given by Mrs. J. S. Tallott and Mrs. C. F. Crose.

Before dispersing, the ladies enjoyed seeing the lovely lawn and plants at the rear of the home.

## Dinner for Drill Team

The F. A. U. expects to entertain the drill team, which recently won the prize at Orange, with a dinner at 6:30 o'clock. A reception will follow the dinner.

## Interesting Marriage

Miss Gertrude Roper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parke S. Roper, born and raised in this city, on Tuesday at 5 o'clock became the bride of Anthony Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Adams, both young people having graduated in the high school class of 1914.

The young people have been sweethearts for many years and a pretty home wedding had been planned in about a month, but the young soldier who enlisted some months ago in the aviation service and has been stationed at North Island, San Diego, got an unexpected furlough and on Tuesday he and his fiancée went to Los Angeles, where they were quietly wedded by Rev. Mr. Crockett of the Christian church at the home of the bride's aunt, Miss Ora Connell.

Hiram D. Connell, uncle of the bride, was the host at a cosy little wedding dinner, following the ceremony and the young people are spending their honeymoon at the Huff cottage at East Newport.

Mrs. Adams will remain here until her husband's plans are made, as he expects to be transferred to the new aviation field at Riverside, where his wife will join him.

Their many friends will extend to the popular young couple their nearest congratulations.

## —W. S. S.—

SHE WAS IN BED TWO MONTHS —Women suffering backache, rheumatic pains, sore muscles, stiff joints or any symptom of kidney trouble should read this letter from Mrs. S. C. Small, Clayton, N. M.: "I had been under the doctor's care all summer and in bed two months, but kept getting worse. In January I got so bad I told them something had to be done or I couldn't live. We noticed an advertisement for Foley's Kidney Pills and sent for some. They have done more good than all other medicines." —Rowley Drug Co.

## —W. S. S.—

Cut out and present coupon of our ad in this paper and get free sample of our new dye. Reinhaus Department Store.

A civil service examination for stenographer and typist will be held in our school May 4th. All who are qualified should volunteer their services. Your government needs you. Those not qualified should begin a course with us at once.

## —W. S. S.—

Orange Co. Business College.

Dinner at G. A. R. hall Friday noon, served by Daughters of Veterans.

## Too Late to Classify

FOR RENT—Southwest corner front room, board if desired. Mrs. Raney, 1013 North Main.

FOR QUICK SALE—At bargain price, 1915 5 hp. Haynes automobile. 2 good tires, first class mechanical condition. Only \$100. Worth \$250. Santa Ana Auto Exchange, 421-23 W. 4th. Both phones 1015.

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs from first-class R. I. Red hens. 1917 W. 5th St.

FOR SALE—Ford roadster. \$300. Also one 23-hp. non-skid tire, cheap. 837 N. Garnsey, Phone 1224-R.

WANTED—Lady cook to make pies, tend small steam table. Write Box 50, Laguna Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE—12 acres in Santa Ana with new 4-room bungalow. Clear. Price \$1300. Will take auto to \$300, balance to suit. John Ward, Garden Grove.

WANTED—About 1 acre and home, on terms. Address Register office, U. Box 5.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 acre improved farm, house furnished, and tools. \$2500. Want half acre place. T. Box 4, Register.

FOR SALE—5 acre orange grove at 123 Modena; 2 1/2 acres in full bearing. 313 E. Pine St., Santa Ana.

WANTED—To rent, 5-room furnished bungalow or apartment. Call 353-W.

FOR EXCHANGE—5 acres; 2 acres full bearing apricots; 2 1/2 acres 3 year old apricots. Close to Hemet. Want house and lot. Phone 284-W. Laura I. Pickering, 615 W. 4th.

THE SANTA ANA AUTO EXCHANGE, 421-23 W. 4th (Cole Garage), has the following bargains in used automobiles: 1912 Oakland "30" roadster, electric lights ..... \$225.00 1912 Geo. 5th touring car ..... \$175.00 1914 Twin EX motorcycle ..... \$50.00 1914 5 hp. Overland, E. L. & S. runs and looks like new, only \$300.00

THE COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT of high school can furnish stenographers, bookkeepers or clerical help during spring vacation, Saturdays, or permanent help when school closes. Inquire of J. R. Baker. Phone 262.

FOR SALE—Sweet potato plants, \$2.50 per 1000, 20c per hundred. Virgil Deaver, or call 123-W. Tustin.

FOR SALE—Special this week, beautifully decorated dinner sets, 42 pieces, complete service for six, \$6.95. D. L. Anderson Co., 205 E. 4th St.

FOR SALE—Special price, \$800, \$400 cash, balance for all cash, for Lumber half here, Water, gas, electricity, two blocks from P. S. sewerage station. Address A. Box 16, Register.

LOST—Book of 16 Thrift Stamps, bearing name "Thurston White." Finder leave at Register office.

FOR SALE—Team of work horses, harness and wagon, cheap. Phone 763-M.

FOR RENT—5-room house, all modern, with garage. 1921 Logan St.

FOR EXCHANGE—Two acres with 5-room house on boulevard near Garden Grove. Value \$2000. Want house and lot in Santa Ana. Address B. Box 17, Register office.

THE SANTA ANA AUTO EXCHANGE, 421-23 W. 4th (Cole Garage), both phones 1015, will buy, sell or exchange your old car.

LARGEST LINE of tennis shoes, canvas and snor shoes in Orange county, at Cozad's, 901 West 4th, Santa Ana.

THE WASHOE MARKET, 708 Lacy St., Richards & Watson, prop., has been purchased by S. J. Baker, N. Y. The former grocery, meat, fruit and vegetable establishment will now be known as the Progressive Market, and S. J. Baker assures customers of the most courteous and fair treatment.

FOR SALE—2 burner oil stove, with oven, new, \$29.00. 1509 Bush St.

FOR RENT—On Sycamore, gold rimmed nose glasses, black cord attached. Owner must have same by calling at Register office and paying for ad.

FOR SALE—Good barley hay, \$29.00 per ton, delivered. Call for samples. Call Culver's Barn, 2nd and Sycamore St.

FOR SALE—About 5000 fine citrus trees, orange, lemon, grapefruit. C. A. Herkelath, Montecito Ranch, Corona, Cal.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—House and lot in Orange. Will take Ford auto up to \$200.00 as part payment, balance cash. Price \$800.00. C. Vinson, Bonita St., Tustin.

WANTED—Experienced waitress at the Arcadia restaurant, 1019 E. 4th. Phone 796-W.

FOR SALE—Lithwell deep well, double acting pump complete, 8-inch cylinder, 80 feet of 9-inch discharge column, in excellent condition. Phone 761 or 78.

FISHING RODS, lines, hooks and sporting goods at Cozad's, 901 W. 4th, Santa Ana.

TIRES—TIRES—TIRES, 25 to 40 per cent discount. We have a large stock of standard make tires, all sizes. Will pay big to investigate. Auto Wreckers, 419 E. 4th St. Phone Pacific 158.

FOR SALE—34 acres choicest garden land, Compton section. Read our Bill LAND ad, classified page. Harris Bros.

WANTED—Butcher's stock of all kinds. We pay more for fat stock than any butcher in Orange county. Phone Hillside Stock Farm, 325-15, Home 5377.

WANTED—Good second hand, 8 blade Cyclone. Phone 233-45, Orange.

CAMPING OUTFITS, balls, bats and gloves at Cozad's, 901 W. 4th, Santa Ana.

WANTED—First class mechanic on auto repair work. Ham's Auto Repair Shop, 216 W. 5th St.

STRAYED—One sorrel horse with 4 white feet. Owner can have same by paying for keep and this ad. R. L. Cheney, R. F. D. No. 2, Phone 233-R4.

WANTED—Second hand bicycles and old frames. Will pay cash for them. We also repair all makes. Ludwig's.

FOR SALE—Bargain, account wife's death, 16 acres, bldgs., tools, bearing vineyard, berries, apples, apricots, cherries, plums, oranges, lemons, etc., no exchange. L. Krater, R. D. No. 1, Box 101, Watsonville, Cal.

FOR SALE—Two wheel, solid tire trailer. Boston Fish Co., 311 1/2 W. 4th.

FOR SALE—25 h.p. Western gas engine, mounted, seven foot water pump and nets; one derrick wagon; one cook house; one trap wagon; one dump wagon; 60 ft. 8 in. codless belt foot water wagon. Address Mayberry Ranch, West 17th St. or phone 949-2.

A civil service examination for stenographer and typist will be held in our school May 4th. All who are qualified should volunteer their services. Your government needs you. Those not qualified should begin a course with us at once.

## —W. S. S.—

Orange Co. Business College.

## AND MICKIE SAYS

AIN'T IT FUNNY, HOW WHEN A FELLER GITS SORE AN' STOPS HIS PAPER, HE ACTS SURPRISED BECAUSE WE DONT ALL BUST OUT INTO TEARS AND HANG GRAPE ON THE DOOR?



## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Stock of Anaheim this week received a letter from their son, Reinhold, conveying the news that he is now a commission officer in the United States service. He has been in the electrical engineering branch of the service, stationed at Camp Robert E. Lee, Petersburg, Va.

Leonard Pillsbury Halderman of Santa Ana entered the naval service at the navy recruiting station, Los Angeles, as fireman third class, and will soon be serving his country at the front. The navy needs more such men in all branches. Enlistments are for the duration of the war. Draft men not called to duty may enter the navy. The naval reserve force is open in all branches for enlistments.

The Chamber of Commerce directors last night authorized Secretary Metzger to purchase 2,000 Orange county buttons for distribution to lumbermen who attend the picnic at the county park on May 11th and delegates to the convention of fire insurance agents to be held here next month.

These in charge of the picnic of the Baptist Sunday Schools of the county have changed the date of the picnic from Saturday, May 11, to Saturday, May 4, in order not to conflict with the picnic of the lumber dealers of Southern California, to be held at the county park on May 11.

All salvage should be carried to the intermediate school building on North Main street and not taken to the Red Cross headquarters, where there is no way to handle it.

—W. S. S.—

## PERSONAL MENTION

Loren Dale, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Dale, who went east about three weeks ago to consult with the famous Mayo doctors as to his condition, is now with his sister, Mrs. R. E. St. John in Green Bay, Wis. He has been placed on a diet for a time before an operation, necessary, to restore him to health, is performed.

Miss Zula Brockett, one of the high school faculty, who obtained a year's leave of absence and left here the middle of January for the Hawaiian Islands, has returned home. She greatly enjoyed her rest in Honolulu and other points in the islands, including a trip to the volcano, which lately has been very active.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kim and daughter, Miss Alma, of Hamilton, Ontario, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. F. L. Davies. They have come to make their home, the other members of the family planning to come later. The newcomers are delighted with Santa Ana.

—W. S. S.—

MASONIC NOTICE  
Santa Ana Lodge No. 241 F. & A. M. will confer the third degree of Masonry Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visitors welcome.

(Signed) W. W. CLEVELAND, W. M.  
—W. S. S.—

MASONIC NOTICE  
Called meeting of Santa Ana Chapter No. 73, Royal Arch Chapter, the Thursday evening, April 18th, for work in the Mark Master's Degree.

By order of  
A. H. PEASE, High Priest.  
G. A. WHIDDEN, Secretary.

## Quality Eatables

The best is the cheapest in the long run.

Every particle of a good article of food is consumed with relish, while a portion of an inferior quality is often wasted.

We carry a large variety of fancy groceries in addition to the best staples.

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GROCERIES AND CHINA.  
114 East Fourth.  
Both Phones 25.

FUN FEATURES MEETING  
OF EFFICIENCY CLUB

The meeting of the Efficiency Club of the Southern Counties Gas Company held at the local office last night was a scene of action.

The members availed themselves of the opportunity to bid farewell to one of the oldest employees of the company, Alec Indergard, who leaves for Camp Lewis on the 26th. After a short meeting the fun started. The first event was the presentation of an imitation gas mask by J. C. Hayden. This was followed by H. G. Miller, who presented a miniature gun. V. Y. Hinkle then gave Alec an army sweater which was a masterpiece. The entertainment committee decided that it was necessary that Indergard should have a war bride. B. L. Glazner officiated in the mock ceremony.

When all the fun was over an excellent luncheon was served, after which the serious part began. S. W. Todd presented the parting guest with a comfort kit. B. L. Glazner delivered the farewell address, expressing the sentiments and best wishes of the club.

—W. S. S.—

VIOLIN RECITAL  
A violin recital and entertainment will be given by the students of Prof. G. F. Andrist, Friday evening, April 19th, in Odd Fellows hall, 7:30 p. m. Admission, 25 cents.

—W. S. S.—

Don't forget to give something for the Red Cross auction. For information call Mrs. R. R. Shafer, 266.

—W. S. S.—

Dinner at G. A. R. hall Friday noon, served by Daughters of Veterans.

—W. S. S.—

S. Jackier, who has just bought out Richards & Watson grocery and meat business at 708 Lacy, invites all neighbors and customers to continue their patronage.

—W. S. S.—

Cut out and present coupon of our ad in this paper and get free sample of our new dye. Reinhaus Department Store.



A picture worth taking is worth finishing right.

If you are having poor luck—let ME finish 'em—I know how.

SAM STEIN'S of Course

## THE ANSCO WAY—"Its Really Different"

## TO APPEAL FROM HARBOR REPORT BY HEUER

### South Coast Improvement Association Will Carry Matter to Engineers' Board

The South Coast Improvement Association and the Newport Chamber of Commerce will take an appeal from the decision and report of Col. W. H. Heuer, of the U. S. Engineer's Office at San Francisco, as submitted yesterday to the Chamber of Commerce, although the report has nothing whatever to do with the proposed improvement of Newport Harbor under a county bond issue. The report has only to do with probable assistance from the government in the initial development. Such support was not anticipated, particularly, and the findings of the officer are only what was expected and in line with what has been published from time to time. It is no surprise to those who have been working on the project and knew what was doing.

A meeting of the South Coast Improvement Association will be held Friday evening, when the report will come up for consideration, and indications today are that the organization will carry an appeal to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors at Washington, D. C. The Newport Chamber of Commerce will also meet and take some action.

"This report has no bearing on the proposition of Orange county developing the harbor," said L. L. Shaw, chairman of the Orange County Harbor Commission, this morning. "It simply reasserts the position of the government, that it will not make appropriations for initial improvements of a harbor."

"The attitude of the government is that where the people do the initial development work the government will assist in further development. If the people of Orange county want the government to make an appropriation for Newport Harbor it is up to them to take the first step."

"I would remind the public of the letter of Congressman Small, of the Rivers and Harbors Committee, to Secretary Baker, which was incorporated in the commissioner's report, and which shows that Col. Heuer's report

is simply in line with the policy clearly outlined by Small.

"The harbor commission probably will issue a statement to the public setting forth its position in the matter. The members are still of the opinion that the election should be called at once."

#### Newport Beach Will Proceed

"As far as Newport is concerned, we will go right along with the work we have planned," said W. W. Wilson, secretary of the Newport Chamber of Commerce, this morning. "The report is nothing more than we anticipated and was indicated by remarks made by Col. Heuer when he was here."

"It is true that we have not developed any commercial business here as yet, because we have not proceeded sufficiently with our plans. The jetty has just been completed, and the wonderful effect it has had in changing conditions at the entrance to the bay is a demonstration of what would result should the jetty be extended further."

"We will soon overcome some of the objections made by the engineer—that we have not developed business. However, the business we have developed through the harboring of fishing boats is no inconsiderable item of progress noticed since the completion of the jetty. With an extension of the jetty and the establishment of a channel as proposed, should the county vote bonds, commercial enterprises that would be established in the harbor would create a commercial demand and would bring to the harbor commercial business that would convince the government that assistance in the project was justified."

#### Has Not Asked Assistance

"Large fishing boats today are coming into the harbor—boats that would never have thought of entering the bay prior to the construction of the jetty because of the treacherous waters at the mouth of the bay."

The assertion of Col. Heuer that the freight rate between Newport Beach and Santa Ana and San Pedro and Los Angeles were about the same, is true. However, there is no shipping coming into Newport harbor so the rate avails this community nothing. On four classes of freight from San Pedro to Santa Ana the rate is 3 cents per 100 higher than it is from San Pedro to Los Angeles.

The city of Newport Beach already has voted bonds for \$50,000 with which to do a certain amount of dredging in the bay, and is going to do its part to make the harbor a factor in the county.

With the dredging proposed, the county should arrange to divert the Santa Ana river from the bay direct to the ocean, in the opinion of the harbor boosters.

The government has never been asked to make an appropriation for the improvement of the harbor, the assistance asked so far being an appropriation for a government survey. A preliminary survey has been made under an appropriation by congress.

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They are not a "patent medicine," nor a "new discovery." For 200 years they

have been a standard household remedy. They are the pure, original imported Haarlem Oil your great-grandmother used, and are perfectly harmless. The healing, soothing oil soaks into the cells and lining of the kidneys and through the bladder, driving out the poisonous germs. New life, fresh strength and health will come as you continue the treatment. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day; they will keep you in condition and prevent a return of the disease.

Do not delay a minute. Delays are especially dangerous in kidney and bladder trouble. All druggists sell GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They will refund the money if not as represented. In three sizes, sealed packages. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL. Accept no substitutes.—Adv.

## ORANGE COUNTY LOSES BATTLE FOR FREE TOLL

San Francisco Dispatch In Los Angeles Paper Tells of Decision

### CONFIRMATION OF FINDING, MISSING

United Press Says Decisions of Commission Have Not Been Signed

Orange County has lost her fight before the railroad commission against the elimination of free toll areas, according to a San Francisco dispatch carried in a Los Angeles paper this morning. Notwithstanding the fact that the news has been released in San Francisco, word this afternoon from the United Press is to the effect that the findings of the commission have neither been signed nor affirmed. Neither the managers of the local companies have been advised of the details of the report.

According to the published report, free service is to continue between Santa Ana and Orange. Switching charges will obtain between Santa Ana, Garden Grove, Anaheim, Fullerton and Placentia. The decision affects systems all through Southern California. The published report, under a San Francisco date line, says:

The State Railroad Commission announced today that it had authorized a sale and exchange of telephone properties by the Union Home Telephone & Telegraph Corporation and the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, by which it was said costly competition in Orange County would be eliminated. "In the San Bernardino district, it was announced, the Pacific Company acquires all of the property of the Union Company outside of the city of San Bernardino, and the Union Company acquires most of the exchange property of the Pacific Company in San Bernardino. In Orange County the Pacific Company acquires all the property of the Union Company in Santa Ana, Anaheim, Fullerton, Placentia, Orange, Garden Grove and Tustin."

In Long Beach, Los Angeles County, the Union Company acquires most of the property of the Pacific Company. At San Pedro, Wilmington and Ventura the Pacific Company acquires all the property of the Union Company.

"There is to be an adjustment of exchange rates at all of the exchanges acquired by the Pacific Company, it was announced, and the free interchange switching heretofore allowed subscribers between San Bernardino, Colton, Rialto and Highland, San Bernardino County, between Anaheim, Fullerton and Placentia and between Santa Ana, Garden Grove and Tustin, Orange County, is to be eliminated."

By another decision of the commission, the Pacific Company acquires all of the property of the San Fernando Valley Home Telephone Company for \$103,862.72, in Glendale, Lankershim, Burbank and vicinity, Los Angeles County."

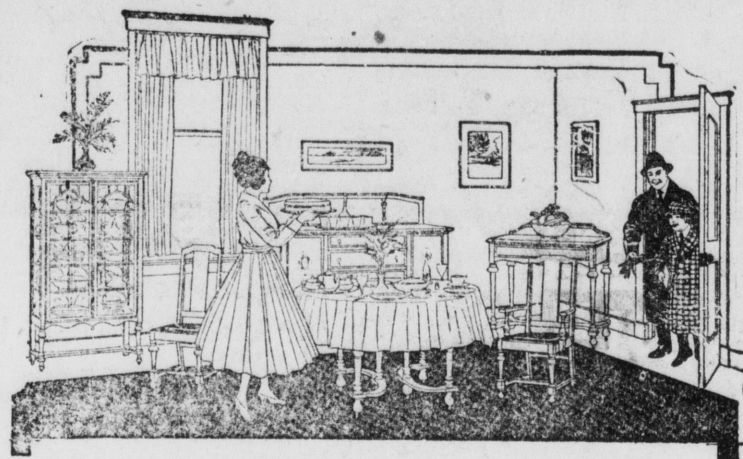
## Y. M. C. A. BANQUET WILL BE SATURDAY

The county Y. M. C. A. closes its year Saturday evening of this week with a monster banquet for men and boys at the United Presbyterian church in Santa Ana. This annual event, called the county convention, always draws a large crowd. Letters

# Spring Home Furnishings Are Now In Order

This Is the Season Of the Year When Every Housewife Likes to Brighten Up the Home and Add to Its Attractiveness

A new piece of Furniture—a new Rug—a bright, new Linoleum—perhaps a new Gas Range—a Refrigerator—new Window Draperies—these and many other items needed may be found here in large assortment.



## Our Store Is Now In Full Spring Attire

We invite the public to pay a visit to our store and see our new Spring lines of home furnishings. You will find a splendid assembling of the newest designs of furniture. A matchless array of the cleverest and most exclusive patterns from the leading furniture factories of the country. You will find strikingly impressive new patterns and colorings in room-size rugs of every description. You will find our new drapery department in splendid readiness for the spring trade. You will also find all sections of this store in full spring attire. You will find that we have far surpassed all previous efforts this season, in point of assortment, quality, excellence and magnificence—this will be readily conceded by everyone.

## Big Values In Rugs

We Handle the Bigelow-Hartford Line

We show a very large stock of Rugs which we are now selling at prices below the present market.

There have been three advances in Rugs since the last bought—another advance is soon to be made.

Our New Stock of Refrigerators Is Here and It Is Not Too Early to Buy—All Family Sizes, from \$10.00 Up.

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Corner Fourth and Spurgeon Streets.

Santa Ana.

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## Get Ready For the Trout!

We're ready to equip you with just what you need to get the most out of the sport you like best.

We have Jointed Steel Rods, Split Bamboo Rods, Telescope Steel Rods, Genuine Bristol Steel Rods, Good Trout Reels, 50c to \$10.00. Salmon Eggs are the best bait. We also have Fly Hooks, Liners, Leaders and a large assortment of regular hooks.

See our Ring-soled Tennis Shoes—won't slip on rocks—just the thing. Trout Baskets and collapsible camp stoves.

FOLDING COTS  
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Tennis, Baseball and all the sport materials at our big store.

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## VALUES—AT POPULAR PRICES

It has always been the policy of this store to search a wide market for fine garments and to offer these garments at popular prices. This is the principal upon which our success has been founded. It is our duty, we believe, to give our customers values at prices that will make staunch friends of them. Take the elevator to our ready-to-wear department on the second floor. Evidence of our popular-price policy will confront you there.

### New Suits—Just In

There are Jerseys, Serges, Poplins and Gabardines in the lot. We will mention just two.

The first is a dressy suit made of Jersey cloth in the new sand shade. It is medium weight, unlined and cool for summer wear. A very big value, indeed, at **\$29.50**

The second is a navy blue Serge, in the latest gathered back effect, at **\$22.50**

### Dresses

Dresses in Georgette Crepe, Silk and Jersey. We have a Jersey, your choice of color, beaded and hand-embroidered, now at **\$25.00 TO \$29.50**

### Waists

Arrived only yesterday. The colors are white, maize, pink and flesh. Crepe de Chine are marked to sell at \$3.95 to \$5.50. But we have a special heavy Crepe de Chine, a wonderful value at **\$5.00** ALSO—a big line of Wash Waists in voiles, batistes and lawns, at **\$1.25 TO \$3.50**

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of invitation have been sent to all men who have contributed to the county work, and to all members of the county Y. M. C. A. clubs.

Dr. Silas Evans, president of Occidental College, has been obtained for the main address of the evening, and in addition there will be a most interesting program. The annual report will be given, and also the election of county committeemen and officers will take place.

Much interest is being centered in this affair, because it comes as a climax to a most successful year's work, and because it is preceded by the big annual track meet in the afternoon on the Santa Ana high school field, all the members of the clubs in the county competing. Prizes will be awarded the winners of the track meet at the banquet in the evening. Many local men and boys will attend, and reservations are being made through H. W. Lewis, phone 1384-J.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our neighbors and friends for their help and sympathy, and also for beautiful flowers sent, at the time of the death and burial of our husband, brother, uncle and nephew, W. R. Hunter. MRS. W. R. HUNTER, MR. and MRS. C. P. KRYHL and family, MR. and MRS. ANDREW SHARPE.

### CARD OF THANKS

—We desire to thank our many friends for kindness and sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement in the death of our dear wife and mother; also for beautiful floral offerings. MR. J. P. CARMACK and Daughter.

## SANTA ANA MAY WIN WORLD BIBLE TROPHY

County Examinations Held This Week; Results Not Yet Known

That the Santa Ana Y. M. C. A. boys bid fair to win the world's trophy for the highest average in Bible study, is the opinion of Ralph Cole, county secretary, who has just completed giving the examinations to the boys of every community in Orange county. Should Santa Ana win the trophy they will take it away from Orange, whose Bible students earned it in last year's examinations.

The examinations for Santa Ana were held in the Intermediate school on Monday night of this week, 66 Bible students participating. The same examinations were given in the schools of Orange, Old Newport, Tustin and Anaheim.

The examinations have not been graded as yet, but Secretary Cole says he will go over them next week, after which they will be sent to New York for re-grading. Every student getting 70 per cent or more is awarded a Bible study certificate.

For the good things in groceries, meats, fruits and vegetables, come to the Progressive Market, S. Jackier, new proprietor, 708 Lacy.

## DRIVE BEING MADE FOR NAVY RECRUITS

Naval reserve offices in Los Angeles as well as in every other part of the country are making a drive for more men for service. C. E. Jaffe, district enrolling officer, yesterday sent out literature telling of the opportunities men receive in the naval

reserve. Because the navy is being increased daily by thousands of tons, officers are urging every available man to volunteer. Men eligible for enlistment must be between the ages of 18 and 35 and if within the draft ages must have a statement from their local boards showing they are not in the current quota. The naval reserve enrolling offices are in the Union Oil Building, Los Angeles.

### "HOW TO BE A SOLDIER"

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The funniest little book on the war—ridiculous and hilarious. Get your copy, only 25c.

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In your next grocery order take a package of JAFFEE the new Coffee Substitute, beats them all.

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SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 18, 1918.

## DODGEM FASTER POPULAR DANCE ON NO MAN'S LAND

Art Bret Writes of Bright  
Spots In Trench  
Life

The character of the Sammies who are helping fight the battle across the waters is amply illustrated in a letter just received from Art Bret, a brother of Mrs. H. B. Kelly, 1420 North Broadway, this city. Bret enlisted from Los Angeles and is in an American engineer corps at the front. He writes of the funny side of life in the trenches and in a most entertaining way. Listen, while he tells you what he and some of his comrades did while the boches were sending iron hail over in carload lots—all the while the boys indulging in hearty laughs, while they skirmished for cover.

You asked me how long since I danced? It was last week—across a grassy field to a dug-out, to the tune of a few German shrapnel, call it jazz band if you like, made mostly of drums; the nearest thing in a jazz band that, the nearest thing in a jazz band to it. Oh yes, we used the latest step—the Dodge-em-Faster—the faster the better. It is a high step and a long step, not a "one-step," but a thousand or two. If you could put a million of them into the same lapse of time you would enjoy the more the momentary exhilaration with which you are endowed.

It was more or less of an impromptu affair, this Dance of the Nations, it being decidedly real sudden like. We had been working some little distance in the rear, in the vicinity of some batteries. It was a peach of a day and we had just finished lunch and were lying around. Another company was still in mess line, when all of a sudden our batteries opened up. That didn't alarm us to any extent as they were about 1000 yards away, to the rear and a little to one side. We could hear

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Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, are gentle in their action yet always effective. They bring about that exuberance of spirit, that natural buoyancy which should be enjoyed by everyone, by toning up the liver and clearing the system of impurities.

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Unless You Are Insured

Fire is not the only cause of loss. Accidents may happen, your car may be wrecked, your home may be burglarized, your store windows broken. Carry insurance against these possible losses, and

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All kinds of auto trimming, seat covers, first class work at living prices. All work guaranteed. Auto painting in connection.

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MISS DUNCAN, a niece of Representative Oliver of Alabama, is studying to become a radio operator so she can go to France and help lick the Germans.



MISS WILLIE DUNCAN

the big shells as they sped overhead and on to friend Boche and we would follow the invisible path almost expecting to see the projectile. This continued for some little time and then they started coming from the wrong direction.

We heard one pass and watched it explode in the rear. That made things interesting, and after watching two or three appear on the landscape in that general direction we suddenly heard a tremendous explosion seemingly overhead, and that was when the fun commenced. The fellows in the mess line immediately lost their appetite and faded into the atmosphere—yes faded; you never saw anything disappear as quickly in all your life.

Laughs As Shells Explode

We were some little distance from our "hole in the ground" but all speed records for the "220" were broken, as we left everything on the ground where it lay, except our steel lids and gas masks, and tripped lightly across the green. I should hardly say "lightly" as those trench shoes weigh a ton when you are in a hurry.

Well, I started out with the rest—I like to go where the crowd goes, you know—and when about half way across "No Man's Land" (we call it that as nobody wanted it at least that particular moment) paused long enough to take a general view of the situation. It was the funniest sight I've seen in a long time; those that hadn't already disappeared were still sneaking along as close to the ground as the contour of the body would permit without crawling; one fellow with rubber boots was unfortunate enough to cross a rather muddy stretch; his only comment as he saw his one piece of pedal furniture standing upright in the mire was "To hell with the boot."

The mess kits in the soup line were still reposing in mid-air where their owners had left them. A gent who had been asleep awoke in time to find himself deserted; he looked first to the right, then to the left, shading his eyes the while with his hand—and then TORE. Well, all I could do then was to stop and laugh—laugh till my sides ached, and about that time we discovered that the excitement wasn't caused by shrapnel at all but by a gun only a couple of hundred yards away, which we didn't know was there.

Seriously, though, those shells do make quite a noise as they come towards you and it is very interesting to see them burst—a little ways off is more interesting.

Sees Air Battles

I am on guard today and so am getting in spare time cleaning off the slate; writing as many as possible. We are guarding this village we are in; the French had it until we came and the first night we had it there were a few comical events. You see, it's necessary to halt every one and when the sentry halted an American officer the officer, thinking him French, said "Bonne Nuit," and the sentry (thinking him a Frenchman) also said "Bonne Nuit." Then followed a lengthy speech in French on the part of the officer, wherein he probably told all about his ancestors and mother-in-law, and to which the guard said when he was all through "Non comprehens," that being an American patented phrase—the French never had it until we got to this country. "Amerique Officer" then ventured the lieutenant. "Amerique soldat" says the guard. "Well, I'll be damned," and he was English, from the officer. And he was very glad to meet an American guard.

While I have been out here in the sun writing this the anti-aircraft guns have been peppering at a Boche away up in the air, but didn't get him. One of the guns was right behind us and we could hear the shot pass overhead and then see it burst near the plane. About six would pass before the first one exploded. Air battles are quite frequent on clear days. One of them took place only about 500 feet over our heads recently and we had a very good view of it; could see every movement of the planes and hear the rattle of their machines guns as they passed each other. These machine guns sound like a compressed air hammer when they get going.

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W. S. S.

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## THE MAN OF REAL ENTHUSIASM PUTS SOUL IN WORK

So-called Matter-of-Fact Man  
Is Never Enthusiastic

"The man of real enthusiasm puts his soul into his work. He does so not because he loves his work for itself, but because the idea back of the work has made him captive. A so-called matter-of-fact man, a man who prides himself upon taking things as they are, who has no use for theories, dreams or speculations of any kind, is never an enthusiast; in fact, he scorns enthusiasm as a stigma of an ill-balanced mind," says the Monthly Bulletin Letter of the California National Bank for April.

The bulletin is just off the press. Continuing, it says: "Anxious attention centers upon the reports of the ebb and flow of the battle on the French front. Germany undoubtedly is making her supreme effort. She probably sees that if she is ever to win, it must be this spring. The sagging back of the Allies' lines, under the terrific weight of the massed drives of men, maddened through misrepresentation and tyranny, has been apprehensive to many and the slaughter of human life appalls us all, but it is a certainty that Germany's western front hopes are false, for if she should succeed in establishing her superiority on land for a time, she would still be a long way from a position to dictate peace to suit her ambitions, for the command of the sea would remain with the United States and Great Britain.

There can be no peace, no matter what occurs on the continent of Europe, until the purposes for which the United States entered the war are realized. Those purposes call for the vindication of certain principles of public right which have been grossly violated, time and time again, and the world, other than the Central Powers, is one in its judgment upon these acts. One can readily understand that Germany can have no peace except one that will give her access to raw materials for her industries and markets for her products. There is nothing in the present situation to swerve the people of the United States from a firm faith in the ultimate outcome.

Look Conditions Squarely in Face

In sheer self-interest, let us look the facts in present conditions squarely in the face. Let us forsake our passive interest in the war and bring our actions wholly under the influence of the fact that only our individual co-operation, foresight, loyalty, faith, sacrifices and money will win permanent liberty for the world and stop the terrific carnage that at present, reducing its man-power. Let us understand that to merely shell Paris from a distance of seventy-four miles with her most diabolic artillery, was not the fundamental which prompted this demonstration of Germany.

Instead, she aimed to pound awe, doubt and uncertainty into our very souls and blast the foundation of the world's social and economic wholeness in order to more easily take tomorrow from you and I. Nothing seems cruel enough, nothing too frightful to turn the kaiser aside from imposing his ideals upon us. That cowardly ambition of the "Sabre-rattlers of Potsdam," who planned a world dominion and deliberately organized all the frightfulness which now fester Europe, aims to enslave every American in a bondage even more terrible than that of Belgium, because they hate us worse.

The Supreme Moment Here

The supreme moment of the war is here and its outcome rests much more just now upon the shoulders of Americans at home than it does upon those of our forces at the front. Our government has given us another period of retaliation for the unspeakable misery, sorrow and ruin brought upon the world by Prussianism. Imagine the force we can add to the counter-blow, which sooner or later will be struck against our enemy, if we carry the Third Liberty Loan billions and billions beyond the billions asked.

This will be easy in the time remaining for it, if each of us think and act in terms of sacrifice instead of subscriptions. We all know what Government Bonds are and why they are offered and the present opportunity for obtaining them will be a great and inspiring success. If we can but realize that the whole of finance and business is in our keeping and that as we succeed in these two great elements, the war for us succeeds, but if we fail in them, our history as a nation-in-servitude begins.

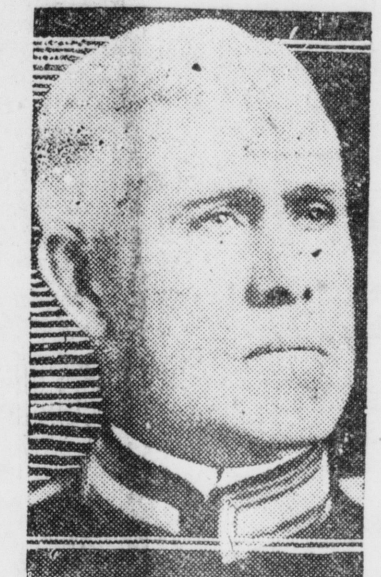
Opportunity for Gentlemen

The question of more food animals is a far-reaching one and will continue to be for several years after peace, because the war demands upon all Europe for food has led to the

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MAJ. GEN. DUNCAN, native of Covington, Ky., has recently been elevated to third in command under General Pershing in France. He was decorated last year for bravery under fire; is a West Pointer; in the army 39 years; saw service in Philippines and on Mexican border.



GEN. GEO. B. DUNCAN

slaughter of live stock at a rate far in excess of all possible replacement. Besides the eminent danger of famine in the neutral, as well as the warring countries, has led to an utter disregard of live stock requirements, and the raising of food crops instead of fodder crops, has produced a condition that will bring out a large demand for American beef, pork, lard and mutton, besides untold quantities of breeding animals.

This condition, coupled with the increase of the home demand when demobilization begins, should be an incentive to the American farmer to diversify his interest with a strong tendency toward food animals and spur the stockman to stem the present temporary tide of short profits caused by high feed costs and build up the quality and quantity of his flocks and herds.

Solid in Economic Strength

The economic strength of America is solid and confidence inspiring. With its immense population, made up of many elements, she is assured of both volume and variety of productive effort that, rightly directed, will give her an advantage in satisfying the many wants of her neighbors—an abundance of untilled farm land, inexhaustible mines, ample water supply, both for power and transportation, invite this population to build them into wealth. Back of the powers of production stands the fact that we shall have, at the close of the war, a merchant marine and facilities for maintaining it, such as America or any other nation has never known before. To bring all of these factors of industrial, commercial and financial strength into complete co-operation, is the task before us. Everywhere throughout the world men and nations are preparing for peace.

Their preparations are not based on a fixed time for peace to come, but rather rest on the conviction that no matter how far off peace may be, its known problems are of such magnitude and importance that they require immediate consideration. The American people's strategic position rests on the fact that the day of individual effort and purpose as distinguished from co-operation and public service, has passed. This war has established not only the inter-dependence of nations, but also the inter-dependence of individuals, business and occupations within the nation and that a common understanding, counsel and co-operations will reflect prosperity into even the most remote localities.

W. S. S.

## PATRIOTIC REVIEW OF JOHN B. RATTU IS BIG SUCCESS

An important and impressive feature of John B. Rattu's Chautauqua program which is to be given on April 26, the opening day of the Santa Ana Chautauqua, will be a historic and patriotic review, consisting of striking impersonations of the great characters in the national life of not only the United States but our allies.

The actual cost of equipment of this sketch alone was over \$700. No expense was spared to secure the very best results. The forehead of the wigs was made of the finest kid, carefully stretched over a mold which was the exact size and shape of Mr. Rattu's head. Mr. Carl Kettler, his wig man, who, by the way, was in the personal employ of Joseph Jefferson as costumer and dresser, personally supervised their making and Mr. Kettler says it is the finest set of wigs ever made by him. The make-up is done in Mr. Rattu's usual way, in full view of the audience and only thirty seconds to a minute are consumed in each change.

The speech of each character is up-to-date and timely, handling the war from Peter to Serbia's answer to Austria's demand, to the welcoming of the United States as one of the allies by President Poincaré of France.

In the presentation of Washington, his acceptance of the command of the Army of the Revolution is used; for Lincoln, an excerpt from one of his speeches concerning sacrifice in support of the constitution; for Grant, his response to Lincoln's appointing him commander-in-chief of the Northern

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The guaranteed price for 19% beets under previous contracts was \$5.70. A comparison between the minimum returns per acre for 19% beets under such previous contracts, and under our 1918 contract, appears below:

Crop of	8 tons per acre	Returns per acre		Increase Per Acre
		Previous years' Contracts	1918 Minimum Returns	
" "	" "	\$ 45.60	\$ 76.00	\$ 30.40
" "	" "	51.30	85.50	34.20
" "	" "	57.00	95.00	38.00
" "	" "	62.70	104.50	41.80
" "	" "	68.40	114.00	45.60
" "	" "	74.10	123.50	49.40
" "	" "	79.80	133.00	53.20
" "	" "	85.50	142.50	57.00
" "	" "	91.20	152.00	60.80
" "	" "	96.90	161.50	64.60
" "	" "	102.60	171.00	68.40
" "	" "	108.30	180.50	72.20
" "	" "	114.00	190.00	76.00

In other words, the 1918 contract guarantees the grower as much for 9 tons of beets as he was formerly guaranteed for 15 tons. The increase almost equal the operating cost of growing an average crop, and exceeds such cost on some of the higher tonnages.

The price to be received for practically all other crops is entirely speculative, but under this contract the grower only speculates as to whether or not his crop will bring more than the established high minimum price.

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forces; for Lee, his decision of loyalty to his state; for Uncle Sam, a typical speech with a plea to back Wilson as the old folks did Lincoln.

Everywhere this sketch is produced it is pronounced a classic and great applause greets each individual characterization.

W. S. S.

**WHY IS SANTA ANA FIRM?**

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After reading this generous and encouraging report from Mr. Winslow, those who have the misfortune to suffer as he did, will naturally long to get similar relief. But to get the same good as Mr. Winslow had, you should get the same remedy. There are of course, other kidney pills but there are no other kidney pills the same as Doan's. That is why Santa Ana people demand the genuine.

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## HUNTINGTON BEACH

### APPOINTMENTS TO BE MADE AT NEXT MEETING OF BOARD

### Discuss Plans For Paving the Dusty Area at Foot of Main Street

HUNTINGTON BEACH, April 18.—The city trustees met in regular session Monday evening and canvassed the vote of the city election declaring the following elected: E. E. French and Richard Drew, trustees for four-year term; Joseph Vavra, trustee for two-year term; Chas. R. Nutt, city clerk, and C. E. Lavering, city treasurer.

The newly elected officers were inducted into office which elicited quite a spirited speech from French which gave no uncertain tone as to the position he took in city affairs for the best interests of the city. The appointment of subordinate officers was postponed until next Monday evening.

The question of paving the city ordinances was discussed and left with the city attorney to work out. The report of the city engineer relative to paving the foot of Main street at the junction of the pier elicited quite a spirited discussion and the matter was left with the engineer to work out some definite plan as to what the Huntington Beach Co. would do in the matter and report at the next meeting.

Sold by Commissioner Under foreclosure order from the superior court the paraphernalia of the Troy Laundry was sold Wednesday morning to the plaintiff, Jennie E. Wells, for \$1200. Perry O. Wells acted as commissioner of sale of foreclosed.

T. D. Huffman and wife and R. A. Calkins and wife of Longmont, Colo., are guests of W. H. Day and family over the week end.

Mrs. O. Wood, sister-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hill, will occupy the Grover DeLapp cottage on Fourteenth street.

Grover DeLapp and family will move to Wyland, Wyo., where he has a position with the sugar company.

C. E. Lavering and family have gone to Elsinore to spend a week for Lavering's health. Lavering is cashier of the First National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams of 964 Orange avenue will spend a week or ten days at Ward's Sanitarium, beyond Redlands, for Mrs. Williams' health.

Looks Better Warner & Catching are building a tower on the Catholic church. Rev. Woodenter, the priest, is fixing the Catholic buildings and grounds up in much better condition than formerly.

Mrs. N. E. Catching returned to Alpaugh Saturday with her son Frank.

Mrs. L. A. Fleischer, mother of Mrs. Reuben Catching, returned to her home in Chowchilla Saturday.

Ben Catching, brother of Reuben Catching, who has been working with an electrical company at Richmond, was seriously injured a few days ago by a fall of fifteen feet. He is now in a hospital in San Francisco.

Mrs. W. S. Hill and son Floyd will spend the summer with her relatives in Kansas. Miss Alice Clough of Pasadena will occupy the Hill cottage during the absence of Mrs. Hill.

Roy Labadie, R. E. Larter and Fred Malliet each landed a good catch of yellowfin Wednesday from the municipal pier.

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## The Register's Business and Professional Directory

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416-418 W. Fifth St.—General auto repairing. Miller carburetors, accessories, etc. Pac. 526.

### Nurseries

KETSCHER'S NURSERY, 1045 E. Fourth St.—Walnut, orange, lemon and ornamental trees; also rose bushes and vines. Pacific 710-W.

## Why We Are at War With Germany

By EPHRAIM DOUGLASS ADAMS  
Executive Head, History Department Leland Stanford Junior University.

"The object of this war is to deliver the free peoples of the world from the menace and the actual power of a vast military establishment controlled by an irresponsible government, which, having secretly planned to dominate the world, proceeded to carry out the plan without regard either to the sacred obligations of treaty or the long-established practices and long cherished traditions of the nations. This power is not the German people. It is the ruthless master of the German people. . . . It is our business to see to it that the history of the rest of the world is no longer left to its handling."—President Wilson, August 27, 1917.

WE FIGHT FOR PEACE AND FOR SELF-RESPECT

What sort of peace does Germany hope to secure? That can be answered in a sentence: A peace which will enable her to fulfill in the next war the aims she has failed to fulfill in this. What is the peace the Allies wish? Again the answer is brief: A peace that will make sure that "it shall not happen again."

This war has already killed (not maimed or wounded) over 8,000,000 young and vigorous men, yet Germany still believes that war is essential to human progress, and that any act, however atrocious, is permissible so long as it is an act of war. Against that theory America has set her will.

Does anyone still doubt that Germany believes in war? Here are four leaders of Germany speaking: "Perpetual peace is a dream, and it is not even a beautiful dream; war forms part of the eternal order instituted by God." "A long peace not only leads to enervation, but allows of the existence of a multitude of pitiful trembling, miserable creatures . . . who cling fast to life with loud cries about their right to exist, block the way for real strength, make the air fetid, and altogether defile the blood of the nation." "The worst of hypocrisies is the participation by Germany in The Hague Conference." "We must not look for permanent peace as a result of this war. Heaven defend Germany from that." And Treitschke, the historian-tutor to the military class of Germany, taught over and over again that war was the only means of achieving world leadership; that was "to be conceived as an ordinance set by God;" that "war is just and moral, and that the idea of eternal peace is both unjust and immoral and impossible."

These theories, put in practice, have made of Germany the Cain of civilization—"his hand against every man's hand." In self-defense and in mere self-respect, America was forced to strike back. We could not sit still when we realized that it was our duty "to be and to remain the outspoken moral opponents of the present German policy, and of the German state, so long as it holds this present policy, and carries on its present war."

Germany, as at present disposed, is the willful and deliberate enemy of the human race." (Josiah Royce.)

But if there be any who have not this larger vision of the issues of the war—who are not moved to stake all on the abstract justice of our cause—then let them ask themselves what self-respect as a nation demands of America, and of true Americans, under the treatment we received from Germany.

When the European war came in 1914, and while we were still neutral, what insult was not heaped upon our self-respect? The Austrian Ambassador, Dumba, plotted to organize strikes in our munitions factories, and to buy up agitators to incite workmen to discontent, German spies, now convicted and in jail, have admitted that they worked under the direction of high German officials to commit acts in violation of our neutrality. Some of these same officials have admitted the expenditure of millions of dollars in illegal operations conducted "in direct defiance of our laws, and in insolent disregard of internal diplomatic courtesy." The catalogue of German crimes in America, and of German agents amongst us, while we were still neutral, if published in full, would be astounding almost to disbelief.

The German acts have startled us

at last to the knowledge that the nation which permits them without resentment is no nation in that essential quality of patriotism—self-respect. Without that quality, we are but a mass of disorganized peoples, having no influence in world affairs, and ultimately at the mercy of that state which best knows how to carry on its shameless intrigues amongst us. Germany is that state. We are fighting in the hope of saving the world from her immoral ideals; but we are also fighting to restore our self-respect.

(This is the eighth of a series of ten articles by Professor Adams.)

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA.

Santa Ana, Cal., April 16, 1918. The Board met pursuant to adjournment. All members and the Clerk present.

Demands on the County of Orange on the Hospital and County General Funds for the Detention Home were allowed as read.

The application of the El Tovar Rancho Company, et al., for a permit to lay pipe lines and maintain stand pipe, was granted.

A spraying license was ordered issued to W. M. Vogle, on recommendation of the Horticultural Commissioner.

The hearing of the petition of Albert Pryor, et al., to vacate and abandon a portion of Victoria Boulevard, San Juan by the sea, was set for May 21, 1918, at 10 A. M., notices to be given as required by law in Santa Ana Bulletin.

Deeds for rights of way from E. T. Yorba et al., San Juan and wife, and Mrs. F. Y. Dominguez, were accepted, and ordered recorded.

The hearing of the viewers' report on petition of J. H. Mangold, et al., for 40 feet of said tract of land on a line drawn parallel to and 20 feet southerly from the northerly line of said tract of land, was set for May 21, 1918, at 2 P. M., notice to be given as required by law in the Santa Ana Bulletin.

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News of Interest from Wintersburg

SANTA ANA PASTOR TO CHANGE PULPITS

Local Methodist Minister Will Go to Wintersburg on Sunday Morning

WINTERSBURG, April 18.—Rev. Ross, pastor of the local M. E. church, will exchange pulpits next Sunday morning with Rev. Stacy Smith of the Richmond Avenue M. E. church of Santa Ana. The exchange is general throughout the county upon that date, being a part of the campaign begun for the University of Southern California financial drive being taken up by the M. E. church in an attempt to raise a million dollar fund.

Rev. Ross will occupy his own pulpit as usual in the evening and will preach the third sermon of the series, taking as his subject "The Lord's Commission to Peter."

—W. S. S.—

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QUEEN ESTHER SOCIETY HOLDS BUSINESS MEET

WINTERSBURG, April 18.—A Queen Esther business meeting was held Tuesday evening of this week with Mrs. A. H. Moore. The meeting was called to consider plans for a benefit social and full arrangements were completed by the committee. The entertainment promises to be exceptionally good, as two short plays will be given besides miscellaneous numbers. May 10th was the date decided upon for it to be held, and Bradbury's hall will be used for the occasion. Admission will be 15 cents for all under twelve years, 25 cents for those over that age. The girls will also have home made candy on sale during the evening.

—W. S. S.—

BASKETBALL GAME TO BE PLAYED FRIDAY

WINTERSBURG, April 18.—The pupils of the Oceanview school are preparing to go Friday afternoon to Huntington Beach, where, at 4 o'clock, the local basketball team is scheduled to play the Huntington Beach grammar school team. Local pupils are also looking forward to the athletic contests of Saturday that will be held at the high school.

WINTERSBURG SCHOOL WINS SPELLING MATCH

WINTERSBURG, April 18.—The pupils of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades of the Oceanview school motored to Westminster last Friday evening, where a spelling match was held between these three grades of the contesting schools. The local sixth won out in the contest, the seventh and eighth being won by their opponents, so giving the contest to the latter.

The high school bus was hired for the evening to transfer the pupils to and from Westminster. A number of patrons of the school also went.

—W. S. S.—

WINTERSBURG NEWS NOTES AND BRIEFS

WINTERSBURG, April 18.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Larter entertained Sunday the latter's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Solomon of Bell and their son, Frank Solomon and family of Puente.

Miss Ethel Graham enjoyed a visit last week from her cousin, Miss Vera Graham, of North Whittier Heights. Miss Graham came on Wednesday, remaining over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gerhart and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Newland and little son, William, Jr., made the return trip to Hemet last Sunday, where they spent the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Nichols had as visitors at their home Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckwith and little girl of Torrance. The Beckwiths formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morgan with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hare of Westminster visited the Sycamore Rebekah Lodge of Santa Ana last Saturday evening.

J. J. Graham made the trip to Puente Saturday with his machine and trailer and brought back a load of seed beans for planting on his ranch here.

R. L. Draper traded his Maxwell touring car the past week for a Buick roadster.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lewis were among those from this vicinity in attendance at the motorcycle hill climb Sunday.

The Blaylock twins are having a siege of the measles. Wallace had them last week and is now convalescent and William took them Sunday.

Miss Margaret Miller, who has been visiting at Westminster with friends, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. H. Larter and Miss Florence home from church last Sunday and remained over night at their home. On Monday she went to Long Beach to remain for a few days, as the guest of Miss Larter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Pyle were members of a party attending the Sunday hill climb at Capistrano, the others being Mr. and Mrs. Oral Hare of Westminster and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Child of Santa Ana.

Edmund Dillcock was absent from school Monday of this week on account of having the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Draper and daughter Flossie motored to Carbon Canyon Sunday and spent the afternoon there.

The 18-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Taylor has been very ill the past week and its condition was but slightly changed, according to a late report.

Miss Mable Ulrich had as her guest over night Tuesday Miss Ethel Graham, who remained with her to attend the Queen Esther business meeting.

Miss Alva Harrison, teacher at Springdale school, entertained her sister, who is of Los Angeles, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Anderson and family, former residents of Smetzer and now of Burbank, were Sunday guests at the W. G. Alford home.

Mrs. J. O. Pyle took her mother home to Orange Tuesday morning and was accompanied back by her sister, Miss Nora Keseman. Mrs. Keseman spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. John Kettler, and Miss Nora.

will remain with her for a time. Miss Bessie Draper left Tuesday morning for Los Angeles to remain several days as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Heald.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lewis, uncle and aunt of Mrs. D. W. C. Dimock, and Wilfred Lewis of this place and their daughter, Miss Lenore, departed for their home in Illinois Monday following the winter's sojourn in this state. They spent the greater part of their time in Long Beach but were frequent visitors with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Graham motored to Puente Tuesday and brought the former's father, F. M. Graham, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Sadie Graham, back with them to remain at their home. Mr. Graham, Sr., has been very ill for some time and is being attended by his daughter-in-law. He stood the trip very well considering his weakened condition.

Mrs. R. L. Draper and daughters, Misses Bessie and Flossie, spent Thursday visiting relatives at Artesia.

Mrs. Geo. B. Crane and daughters, Misses Floate and Mary accompanied by Miss Munroe of the Huntington Beach High School faculty, and Miss Anna Clark of Talbert motored to Puente Thursday, where they were guests of Mrs. Crane's daughter, Mrs. Chas. Graham. A part of the day was spent in beautiful Fern Canyon near Puente.

J. R. Morgan was one of a number of members of the Odd Fellows Lodge who visited the Fullerton lodge Monday evening of this week.

Miss Hattie Shonle visited her brother, Aloys Shonle, at the Los Angeles County Hospital on Friday. She found him still confined to his bed following a relapse. It is not known how long it will be before his condition will allow of him being discharged from the institution.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Green of El Monte were guests Wednesday of last week at the J. J. Graham home.

Frank Ulrich was a Los Angeles visitor on Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Graham and Mrs. James Heaton attended the funeral on Friday of last week of Mrs. James McFadden at the Methodist church at Westminster.

Mrs. J. L. Farrar is spending some time visiting relatives in this and adjoining vicinities during the absence of her brother-in-law, Mr. B. A. Farrar.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrar came down from Riverside Thursday and was the guest of her brother-in-law, Mr. B. A. Farrar and wife, until Friday evening, when she went to Huntington Beach for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Farrar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Graham, daughter, Miss Ethel, and Miss Mabel Ulrich spent Sunday at Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morgan and family and Miss Hattie Shonle motored Sunday to Orange County Park and on up the canyon almost to the Modjeska home. They returned with the machine loaded down with beautiful Yucca blooms gathered while hill climbing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Seeley left Saturday morning for Palo Verde, where they will spend a part of the time while in the valley with Riley Graham.

Mrs. J. R. Morgan was among those in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. McFadden at Westminster Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruog and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kettler attended the motorcycle hill climb together last Sunday.

Mary Crane spent Tuesday night as the guest of Mrs. A. H. Moore.

THE IDEAL WIFE

—One of the most successful men of this country recently wrote: "Whatever I am, and whatever success I have attained, I owe it all to my wife. She has ever been an inspiration and the greatest helpmate of my life." To be such a successful wife should be the ambition of every woman, but how impossible when dragged down by headaches, backaches, dragging-down pains, nervousness and "the blues." Every woman in this condition should start at once to build up her system by a tonic of specific powers, such as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for three generations has been restoring American women to health and consequent happiness.—Adv.

M. E. ORGANIZES NEW TEACHERS TRAINING

WINTERSBURG, April 18.—A new teachers' training class has been organized in the M. E. Sunday school and is under the supervision of Rev. Ross. The training includes a three months' course.

POPULAR WINTERSBURG RESIDENTS SURPRISED

WINTERSBURG, April 18.—On Wednesday evening of last week Mrs. George Crane and Mrs. H. Sprinkle gave an ice cream supper at the home of the latter, honoring the birthday anniversaries of their husbands, which occur within a few days of each other. The evening passed pleasantly with a social time, those enjoying the occasion being the honorees, Messrs. Crane and Sprinkle, their families, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham of Puente.

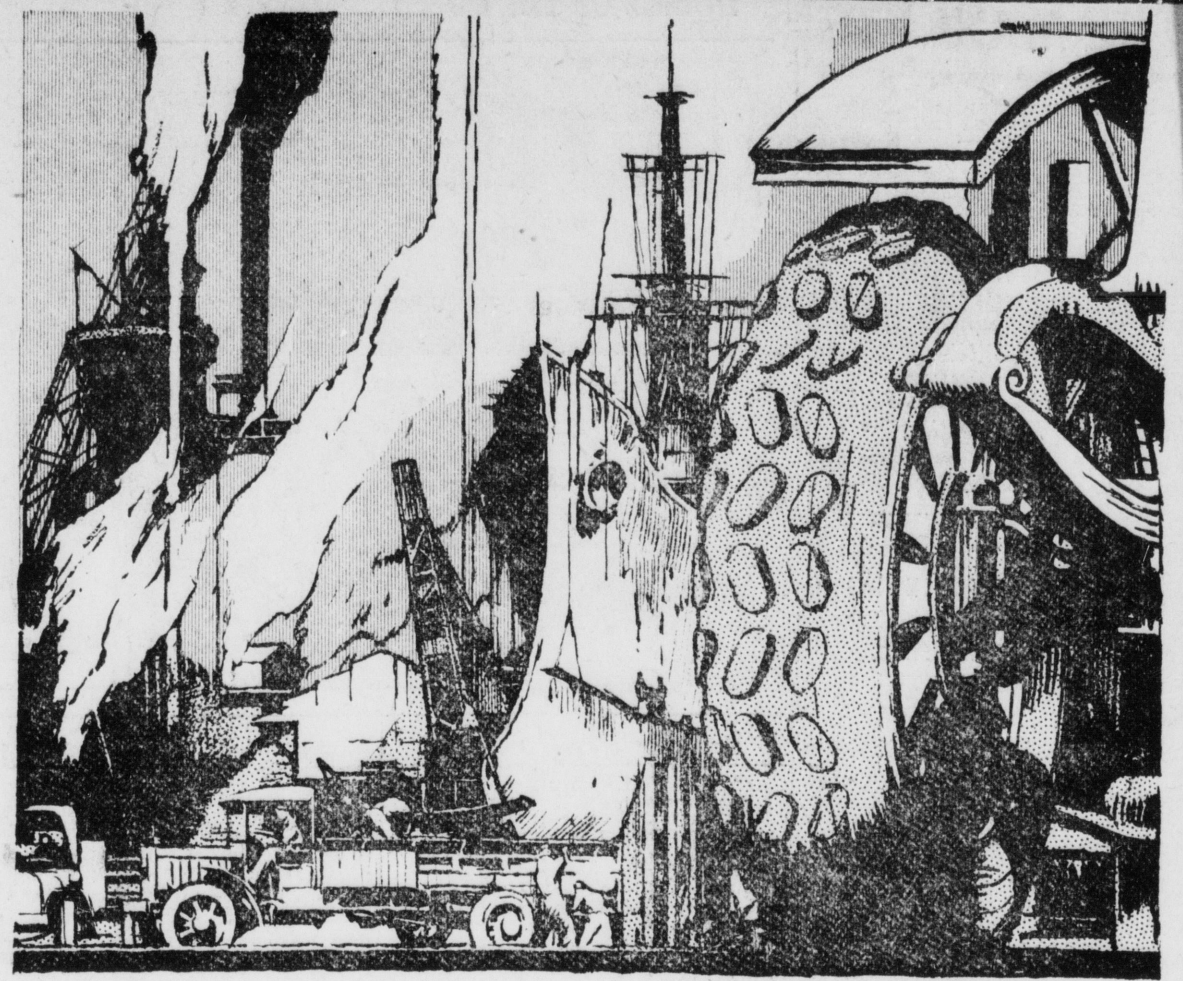
JUNIOR RED CROSS MAKING PROGRESS

WINTERSBURG, April 18.—The Junior Red Cross at Oceanview are progressing nicely with their quilt piecing and have two almost ready for tying. A number of finished garments will be turned into headquarters this week from this department.

A sweater, the first to be finished, was turned in to Mrs. W. E. Dwyer, chairman of the knitting class, this week.

HOME MISSIONARY LADIES' MEETING

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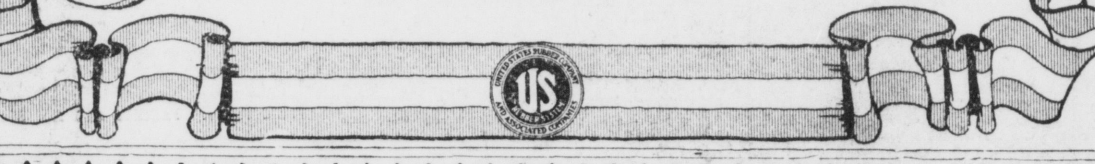
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